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The Marquis of Ahumada and Dr. Zertucha Conspired to Induce the Cuban General to Cross the

GY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE. NEW YORK, Dec. 12 .- The Cuban Junta has heard by way of Jackson ville from insurgents sent to investigate the facts in regard to Maceo's reported death. The dispatch to the Junta says Maceo was assassinated through the instrumentality of Dr. Zertuchaw, who led Maceo and his staff across the trocha, where they were met by Ahumeda, and Maceo and his entire staff were assassinated with

THE PARTICULARS. JACKSONVILLE (Fla.,) Dec. 12.-The Citizen tomorrow will contain the following, relative to the death of An-

"Justo Carrillo, a well-known Cuban of this city, brother of the Cuban general, Carrillo, has received the following letter from a trustworthy correspondent in Havana concerning the reports of the death of Antonio Maceo. and showing that he was killed by

" 'HAVANA, Dec. 9. " 'Dear Friend Justo: Our bray general, Antonio Maceo, and the greater part of his staff have been murdered by the Spaniards. The Spanish major, Cirrujeda, acting the part of assassin, with Dr. Maximo Zertucha (not Zertuchaw) as an assistant in the horrid drama.
" 'Convinced that, notwithstanding

his enormous army, he could no noth-ing against our gallant leader, who had so repeatedly defeated the Spanish generals in Pinar del Rio, Weyler conceived the idea of appeasing his beastly instincts by cold-blooded murder and, making the best of the secret relations between Dr. Zertucha and the Marquis of Ahumada, he planned with the latter his hellish scheme.

'Weyler took the field, and in his absence Ahumada proposed through Zertucha a conference with Maceo, to take place at a certain province of Havana, with the view of arranging plans for the cessation of hostilities. The basis to be Cuba's independence and a monetary indemnity to Spain. together with certain advantages that should be agreed upon for Spanish commerce and Spanish capital in-

'To carry out the plan, the agreement was that orders should be given to the detachments of troops stationed on the trocha on the section between Mariel and Guanajayo, to allow Maceo with his staff to pass the military line unmolested. Time was required to mature these arrangements, give them all the appearance of truth. Ahumada feigned that before acting he must make them known to Wey ler for previous approval. plains the captain-general's sudder arrival in Havana, and his prompt de-

'The conditions and place of meeting having been agreed upon, Maceo crossed the trocha, over the road to Guanajayo, without being molested by the forts, but as soon as he arrived at party were greeted by a tremendous volley from the troops under Maj. Cirrujeda, who lay conveniently in ambush. Most of the officers on his staff fell with Gen. Maceo. Zertucha is alive, because he was aware of the scheme and remained in the rear.

"The Spaniards know where the bodies are, but are bent on feigning ignorance to blot out the vestiges of

'Havana and all Spain are rejoic ing, because in their stupidity they hope the war may end with the death of this leader. Far from it. The spirit of the Cubans has grown more ardent, and today they are resolved to make every sacrifice before surren-dering their arms to their relentless tyrants. In this very province of Havana, in which our army is least and has the least means of defense, the Cubans are operating with greater and greater activity, and not a day passes that we do not hear in this city the firing on Guanabacoa. The Spaniards may treacherously murder some of our patrots, but no earthly power can annihilate the spirit of liberty float-ing, now as ever, over the Cuban peo-

"Joaquin Fortun pointed yesterday

"Joaquin-Fortun pointed yesterday the following facts, which in his opinion corroborated the statements in the foregoing letter, and indicated that Maceo is really dead:

"First—La Lucha published an article last Saturday in which it was stated that the previous day Maj. Cirrujeda had had an engagement with an insurgent force and had killed thirty-two Cubans, not named, at precisely the place in which Gen. Maceo was murdered.

"Second—The first dispatch sent from Havana reporting Maceo's death, which was received on Thursday, stated that Maj. Cirrujeda had previous



MEEK AND LOWLY FOLLOWERS OF THE

ceo was to ride. How did he acquire that knowledge?

"Third-Weys, publicly statibutes the glory of the error to the Marquis of Ahurada, way that flot been away from Havana. Why should not the glory be given exclusively to Maj. Cirrujeds, who had the good fortune, if the executive was an accident to Jacksonville are in a state of great if the encounter was an accident, to come unexpectedly on Maceo's party?
"'Fourth—From the first, even before convincing proofs had been of-

fered, such assurance was expressed at the palace as indicated a preconcerted plan.

"'Fifth—Zertucha's previous conduct, it now appears, is not altogether free from blemish.

"'Sixth—A manifest contradiction appears between what is said by the authorities in Havana and what the Spanish Minister of Foreign Affairs announces in his confirmatory tele-gram to Minister de Lome at Wash-The Havana authorities disington. The Havan authorities distinctly say they have been unable to secure the body of Maceo, while the telegram from Madrid states the body has been identified. This version was transmitted to Madrid, to give the home government full assurance of the fact, though it was later thought best to conceal the truth from Havana, in rder to conceal the dastardly crime.

HE DIED FIGHTING. CINCINNATI (O.,) Dec. 12.—The education.
Commercial-Tribune special from PA
Jacksonville, Fla., says: J. A. Huau, agent of the Cuban junta in this city. received a long letter this noon from his confidential correspondent in Ha vana, giving full details of the assassination, too foul for the civilized na

tions of the earth to tolerate. "Yes," said Huau, "Maceo is dead, but Cuba will live long. The death of no one man can crush the brave spirit of the patriots of Cuba, who are fighting gallantly for liberty. The letter of Mr. Huau gives vir-

tually the same account of the am-buscade and death of Maceo as al-ready given by the Associated Press tonight. Mr. Huau said: "The Spaniards say they don't know where Maceo's body is. They know full well. They have buried it to cover

their treachery to a degree, and will exhume it soon and say: 'Ah, there is the body of Maceo.' From today cuba will fight harder than ever. This cuba will fight harder than ever. This cuba will fight harder than ever. This cuba will be a sad day for Spain. I do not know who will succeed Maceo, but I strength of the revolution. They cannot crush it by open warfare. They most resort to the assassin's knife. They dared not face Maceo, so they that when the cuba will be considered to stab him in the back."

Maceo crossed the trocha, going to the place appointed for the meeting, he passed the Spanish sentinels under Spanish protection, and that they presented arms in his honor. Going forward some four miles from the trocha, Maceo and his staff, numbering thirtyfive men and officers, came to a hill-side thickly studed with small pines and underbrush. Here a Spanish outpost was observed. Maceo sent forward his flag, and in a few moments, he was signaled to advance. As he did so, hundreds of Spanish soldiers arose out of the underbrush, surrounding the party. Maj. Cirrujeda galloped up and demanded Maceo's surrender.

"Never," shouted the intrepid Cuban

"Never, southed the intreduction leader, drawing his sword.
"Forward, my men; death to the cowards," shouted Cirrujeda.
At this the Spanish soldiers poured in a fire of leaden bullets. Maceo fell at the first fire, and young Gomez next. The fire was continued until every men was killed except. Dr. Zerery man was killed except Dr. Zer-tucha, who, the Cubans say, is a traitor. The bodies of Maceo and young Gomez were then tied to the tails of the soldiers' horses and dragged THE MORNING'S NEWS

free. Over \$2000 was subscribed today for the junta to keep up the war with. WEYLER'S RETURN. WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 .- The ar-

excitement and swear Cuba shall

rival of Gen. Weyler at Havana, has peen communicated to the Spanish legation. The fact is made known that Gen. Wevler brought with him two squadrons of cavalry, having traversed all the regions of Pinar del Rio province and thence through Havana province which, it has been said, are overrun with the insurgents. CELEBRATING THE VICTORY.

MADRID, Dec. 12.-The Queen Regent admitted today in audience Señora Cirrujeda, the wife of Maj. Cirrujeda, who commanded the Spanish troops in the engagement in which and promised the royal protection for the major's eldest son, who accom-panied Señora Cirrujeda. The Queen also promised to pay for the boy's

PALMA'S COMMENTS.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 12. — Estrada

Palma made the following statement:

"I received a telegram from my
agents in Jacksonville, affirming the news that Gen. Maceo and his staff came into conflict with Ahumada, Weyler's lieutenant, and were mur-dered. Dr. Zertucha was present. The news does not surprise me, because the first' reports of Gen. Maceo's death were so contradictory that I saw mys-tery in them. I was inclined to believe the news was false, but that if Gen. Maceo had really been killed, it was through the assassin's knife. It seems now he has been murdered.

"Gen. Weyler, on addressing the crowd from the balcony of his palace in Havana, seemed anxious to shun the responsibility of Maceo's death. That was apparent when he declared 'the victory belonged to Ahumada.' It is possible his conscience began to feel the pangs of remorse. This very act

MACEO'S SUCCESSORS. WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.-The succession of Gen. Calixto Garcia to the lieutenant-generalship of the Cuban insurgents and of Maj.-Gen. Rio Rivera surgents and of Maj.-Gen. Rio Rivera to the command of the forces in Pinar del Rio, both of which were held by Maceo, are fixed upon practically as certainities by the Cuban delegation here, Señor Quesada, in charge of the Cuban junta here, says this will almost beyond doubt be determined upon

Both men are noted campaigners, and have made strong records. Garcia is now 50 years old, and his achievements now 50 years old, and his achievements in the revolution are history, and Rivera is, as Maceo was, a pupil of the veteran commander-in-chief, Gomez, and was his associate during the tenyears'-war, and, unlike his late companion, he is white. He is a vigorous fighter, and is one of the most highly-cultured men on the island. He is still in the Pinar del Rio province.

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The City-Pages 10, 11, 12, 29, 30, 31, Dividend for City Bank creditors.... Council considers City Auditor Teale's accounts....Judge McKinley files his opinion in the Lytle Creek case... Foreclosure decree against Prof. Lowe....Plans for the Home Products Exhibition....Council begins canvassing election returns Another Parkhurst case on trial....Young man drowned or shot at Elizabeth Lake ... A burglar captured.

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Pasadena planning for the Tournament of Roses....An alleged thief caught near Perris ... Farmers' Insttiutes in Santa Barbara county ... ish troops in the engagement in which Antonio Maceo was killed. Her Majesty congratulated the major's wife sion....Decision rendered in the Earl Fruit Company case at Santa Ana.

William Austin Hayne, Jr., and Miss Maude Bourn engaged....Chairman Lane of the National Bimetallic Com-

Chairman Lane Exhorts the Silverites.

Calls on Them to Rest Their Jaws for a While.

The Proper Thing to Do is to Uphold McKinley.

Keep Up Their Club Organiza-tion, but Give the Republican Party a Chance to Show What it Can Do-News from Canton.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Charles D. Lane, chairman of the National Bi-metallic Committee, has issued the fol-

"SAN FRANCISCO (Cal.,) Dec. 11. "To the bimetallists of the United States: The contest of 1896, which for some months has engaged public attention, was determined at the ballot box on the 3d ultimo in favor of the Re-publican candidate. While the support-ers of Mr. Bryan and the great principles which he espoused have no rea-son to regret the effort made in his be-half, and which we will renew when oc-casion requires it, it is only the part of wisdom to accept with the utmost good faith the decision of the Amerian people upon this or any other question submitted to their judgment, which is always sure in the end to be correctly

lecided by that tribunal. "The struggle was one of great im port to the material interests of the re-public, and was contested with unusual interest by the contending parties. It was from the very outset one of marked inequality in point of influence and power, and may well be considered, as it many times has been justly denomi-nated, a contest of might against right, and the combined influence of wealth against the unprotected interests of the mmon people, and the result of the sue, considering the inequality of conditions, was such as to challenge the admiration of every patriotic citi-

"The cause of bimetallism, which was the watchword of the anti-Republican forces, has not been abandoned by its friends or advocates, nor are we dis-friends or advocates, nor are we dis-mayed by this temporary defeat. We are as firmly convinced now of its ulti-mate triumph in the United States as that the American flag is the emblem of constitutional liberty, and while prin-ciple may for a time be overshadowed by sophistry, and truth obscured by the screen of deception or intrigue, they will finally rise above the darkened horizon and assume their rightful position as the guiding stars of popular govern-

"Our position was met and antago-nized by the combined wealth of two continents. It was sought to be ob-scured by feigned issues, opprobrious epithets, dishonest methods and parti-san zeal. Every intrigue which wealth could inspire or ingenuity suggest was brought into requisition. The debtor class was threatened by its creditors, the labor class by its employers, and the patrons of savings banks and in-surance companies were made the vicsurance companies were made the vic-tims of unscrupulous demagogues, who declared their investments in these in declared their investments in these institutions were to be sacrificed if free coinage of silver should be accomplished as the result of the election. These methods of political warfare were as dishonest and unjust as the advantage gained is fleeting and destined to ultimate defeat. No success secured by misrepresentation can have more than a temporary lodgment in the hearts of a generous and right-thinking people, and the result of this election will prove in the end a more signal victory for those who went down in apparent defeat than for those who are now flushed with apparent victory.

United States will be as free to acknowledge his error as he was candid in supporting his principles in the past campaign. But, if, on the contrary, we are furnished only with broken pledges, and the old makeshift of issuing bonds in the vain attempt of keeping up our credit by running farther into debt, is again resorted to, we promise to renew the struggle until bimetallism shall become an accomplished fact in the United States.

an accomplished fact in the United States.

"We feel justly proud of our candidate, and the course pursued by him in the recent campaign. He made a manly defense of the cause in which we are engaged, and he is as great in defeat as he was fearless in action. He had only one ambition to serve, and that was the interest of the toiling masses of his countrymen, and while he was overcome by superior forces, he is not sulking in his tent, but is ready to join with the American people in working out that destiny which is uppermost in the mind of every lover of his country.

"As national chairman of the Bimetallic party, I call upon all of its

"As national chairman of the Bimetallic party, I call upon all of its
forces throughout the United States,
regardless of past party affiliations, to
accept the result with dignity and forbearance, and to join in upholding the
hands of Maj. McKinley as President
of the United States, and to support
him in all his efforts to increase the
prosperity and well-being of the citizens of this republic, but in no manner
to abate their earnestness in the cause
of free coinage, so that when it shall of free coinage, so that when it shall

of free coinage, so that when it shall be again necessary to assert the principle we may be in better condition from the standpoint of organization than was possible in the recent struggle. "It is a old adage that 'Truth crushed to earth will rise again,' and, believing as we do, that the cause of bimetallism is the only refuge for the struggling people, we shall stand entrenched behind this principle and shall await with anxiety the first opportunity which neanxiety the first opportunity which ne-cessity may demand to establish it as an American policy.

"Very sincerely, (Signed) "CHARLES D. LANE, National Chairman of the Bimetallic

MARK HANNA'S MOVEMENTS. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—Mark Hanna, who has been the guest of First Vice-President Frank Thomson of the Pennsylvania Rallroad, at his county home near this city since yesterday, left tonight for Cleveland.

ALDRICH WILL CONTEST. WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.-Represenative Aldrich of the Fourth Congress District of Alabama will contest the election of Representative-elect Plow-man, and served notice of contest to-day. Mr. Aldrich charges fraud.

DROPPED ALL BUT BILLYITES. OMAHA (Neb.,) Dec. 12.—The aristocratic Democratic organization of Omaha, the Jacksonian Club, tonight omana, the Jacksonian Club, tonight dropped from the rolls all Democrats who refused to support Bryan in the recent campaign. The list includes all prominent Federal office-holders in Ne-braska. Omaha's postmaster, Euclid Martin, heads the list.

BROWER IN THE RACE. WINSTON (N. C.,) Dec. 12.—Ex-Congressman John B. Brower (Rep.) has decided to enter the race for the United States Senate. He thinks the Populists will not support Senator Pritchard for

BANQUET AND BRYAN. CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The Jackson elebration banquet at which William celebration banquet at which William J. Bryan will be the chief guest of honor will be held January 7 at the Tremont House. This was decided upon at a conference of Democratic leaders today. It is expected that Mr. Bryan on that occasion will make a speech urging the friends of silver to keep up the fight. Gov. Aitgeld will also be present.

THE NEW TARIFF BILL.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee held a conference this morning. It was stated yesterday that the Democratic members would be present and be formally notified of the proposition to proceed with the preparation of a new tariff bill. It was decided, however, to postpone the meeting of the full committee until next week.

The conference of Republican members lasted about two and a half hours, but nothing was definitely decided upon. They discussed at considerable length hearings to be given by the full committee. The general opinion was that the fixed programme for hearings on the several schedules should be arranged, beginning November 28 to continue about two weeks. The question of the date of taking the Congressional holiday recess was discussed, but no date was decided upon.

RAISED THE PRICE OF CURE. WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—William Redding of Hampton Soldiers' Home, clerk of Gov. Smith of the Leavenworth Home from 1889 to 1892, appeared today before the House committee investigat-ing the Leavenworth Home. He testi-fied that Smith raised the sum charged the inmates for the Keeley cure to \$20, although the contract price was \$8. Smith took the cure himself, and subsequently was under the influence of

INDIAN WRITINGS.

CARVER'S REMARKABLE FIND 19 THOROUGHLY EXPLORED.

Winona Scientists Study the Inscrip tions on the Walls of a Large Caye on Minnesota's Southern Boundary—Untranslated History.

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.) WINONA (Minn.,) Dec. 12.—(Special Dispatch.) Jonathan Carver, one of the first explorers of the Northwest, makes mention in one of his books of a large cave with the walls covered with Indian picture-writing near the southern boundary of Minnesota. Winona scientists have just returned from the cave, and it has been thor-oughly explored. It is at Lamoille, sixteen miles south. The entrance to the cavern is semi-circular, fifty feet wide and at the highest point twenty feet

Upon entering, the fact is discovered that the cave is a large room, oblong in shape. The chamber is 100 feet long, running from side to side, and about seventy feet in width. The roof arches to a height of nearly twenty-five feet. The walls are found to be masses of Indian writings. Among the figures is that of a man, nearly six feet tall and well-proportioned. A space, where water has prevented people from mar-ring them, is literally covered with

ring them, is literally covered with drawing, raccoons, eagles, muskrats, rattlesnakes of all lengths, birds, buffalo heads and hosts of other animals. The pictures beyond doubt are the work of Indian tribes, mostly Sloux, who lived in the region for centuries. The pictures are thought to be the historical records of the tribe. If the marks could be translated, they might bring a great deal of hidden Indian history to public light. Some of the pictures are very complex, a new one res are very complex, a new one aring in the same place every few tes as one studies the spot.

At New York Hotels. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—(Special Dis-tch.) C. H. Frost and wife of Pasa-ne ere at the Normandie. COAST RECORDS

WITH THROAT CUT

J. G. LOCKE'S BODY FOUND IN GOLDEN GATE PARK.

Mysterious Case of a Young Studen of Lockford Attending School at San Francisco.

HIS LEFT WRIST ALSO GASHED

SUICIDE OF CARPENTER HAMILI BY INHALING GAS.

William Austin Hayne, Jr., Engaged clared to Be Forgeries-The Mineral Lands Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—An epi-emic of suicides seems to have broken out lately, and today there were tw

out lately, and today there were two more in this city. Joseph Hamil, a carpenter, died by inhaling gas, and J. G. Locke, a student, whose family lives at Lockford, near Stockton, was found in Golden Gate Park with his throat cut from ear to ear.

Mystery, seemingly impenetrable, surrounds Locke's case, for despite the fact that, as far as can be learned, there was no motive for suicide, the indications suggest that the young man took his own life. He was a hard student, but was always in good spirits. Last Saturday he ordered a suit of clothes and paid a deposit of \$10. He had several dollars left, but when found there was no money on the body. Though the home of the deceased was in Lockford, he had been living with the family of J. W. Place at No. 2328 Folsom street, while attending the California School of Mechanical Arts. At the house it was learned that Locke had been away for two days, but no attention was paid to his absence, it being thought that he had gone to Lockford. Place thought that Locke's brain might have been affected by over-study.

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A strange incident in connection with the case is that Locke's father died in this city a year ago Thursday, the day on which the student presumably met his death. Between the two there had always existed a deep affection, and it may be that the boy brooded over the death of his father and determined to foot him in the other world. death of his tather and determined to join him in the other world. The father left an ample estate to his son. Locke's left wrist was cut, and he would have bled to death from the wound had not his throat been cut so that the cartoid artery was severed.

AN INTERESTING SURPRISE.

William Austin Hayne, Jr., and Miss

Maude Bourn Engaged.

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—(Special Dispatch.) An engagement of espe cial interest, which unites two of the best-known families in California, was announced this evening at a dinner given at the University Club by Wil-liam Bower Bourn. The bride-to-be is his sister, Miss Maude E. C. Bourn and

her choice is William Austin Hayne, Jr., of Santa Barbara. Miss Bourn is the youngest daughter of the late William B. Bourn, the capi-talist. He was one of San Francisco's honored citizens. Since Bourn's death, many years ago, the family has been much abroad. Hayne is the son of William Austin Hayne of Santa Barbard. The family resides at Monte-cito and the beautiful home is one of the landmarks in Southern California. The Haynes have been for many years residents there and have large inter-

Hayne came up shortly before the hayne came up shortly before the horse show, and has been there nightly with the Bourn family, but no one suspected the interesting surprise in store. No date has yet been set for the wedding.

MINERAL LANDS FIGHT.

It is to Be Resumed by the Miner

with Vigor.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)
N FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The mineral-land fight between the miners and the subsidized roads is to be reducted substantially on the lines followed two years ago, when nearly every application by the companies for every application by the companies for lands claimed to be agricultural was met by protests setting forth that they were mineral in character. In this man-ner about one hundred thousand acres were for a time tied up, but since then have been released by the Interior De-partment, and about three hundred thousand acres of mining lands have been patented to the railroad com-panies.

panies.

Applications for additional patents, especially in Sierra, Shasta and Siskiyou counties, are now on file, and it was resolved by the new Mineral Lands Committee of the State Mineral Lands
Committee of the State Minera' Association at its first meeting today to
place every obstacle in the way of the
alienation of the lands in question
from the public domain.

It was decided in addition to filing

protests to send a personal letter to each United States Senator and Congressman from mining States, informing him of the status of the Mineral Lands Bill, and inviting his cooperation and support in obtaining its passage.

The Secretary of the Interior will also be notified of the status of mineral-land legislation as affecting railroad limits in California.

ALVARADO SUGAR MILL

Additions Will Be Built and More Beets Crushed. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

DECOTO, Dec. 12.—Within the next hree months the Alameda Sugar Comthree months the Alameda Sugar Company at Alvarado will put on a force of 200 men to build additions to the mill and prepare for the putting in a plant that will crush and convert into sugar 1000 tons of beets a day. But 350 tons a day had been the capacity of the factory, but since the election of McKinley the mill people feel the return of prosperity and they feel that better times are assured.

The price of beets paid the farmer is also to be raised to the old original price of \$5 a ton, and the laborer in the factory will receive an increase of wages.

Warden Hale Makes Report on the San Quentin Output.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The prison directors met at San Quentin today. Warden Hale reported that there were 2,961,000 grain bags on hand, as well as 197,000 sugar bags, all of which have been sold and are ready for delivery. During the past month 20,000 grain bags have been sold at 4 cents 65 mills out of a lot of 100,000 ordered to be sold at the last meeting. There were also 12,000 imperfect bags sold at 4 cents.

mill had recently been renovated and that it was now in perfect order. The changes in the spinning and yarn departments had resulted beneficially. At present the jute mill was turning out 10,000 grain and sugar bags a day. There were 1370 bales of jute on hand and 5000 on the way.

THE COOPER FUNERAL Will Be Held Monday and Be a Pub

He One.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.-Funeral serivces for Mrs. and Miss Cooper will be held Monday at the First Congregational Church, Rev. Dr. J. K. Mc-Lean of the Pacific Theological Sem-inary will officiate. The funeral will

is valued at \$16,000.

Today the Coroner's jury was im-Today the Coroner's jury was impaneled, and an inquest on both bodies will be held at the Cooper residence. It is now the generally accepted theory that while Mrs. Cooper slept, Miss Cooper, in her failing mental condition, quietly arose, turned on two gas jets, and then lay down beside her mother, both dying together.

THE BROWN EAMLLY

THE BROWN FAMILY. CLEVELAND (O.,) Dec. 12.-Maj. O. M. Brown, father of Rev. C. O. Brown of San Francisco fame, who resides in this city, in discussing the suicide of Mrs. Cooper and daughter, said he had not been personally acquainted with them, but heard a great deal about the women through his son. He was inclined to believe the deed was the result of the church trial.

"I don't know what motive Mrs. Cooper had in her persecuting my son," he said, "unless it was sympathy for Mrs. Davidson, but she may have discovered she had made a grievous mistake, and for this reason committed suicide."

"I can't believe in her." said. Mrs. M. Brown, father of Rev. C. O. Brown

"I can't believe in her," said Mrs. "I can't believe in her," said Mrs. Brown, who was present at the interview. "After the wicked course she took, I should think she would have committed suicide or something of that kind. I believe this is a judgment of God."

God."
"Don't say that," interrupted Brown,
"I don't like to hear you say such
hard things about her. Remember she

ALL DECLARED FORGERIES.

The Pencil Will and Craven Doon

ments Knocked Out.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The Chronicle says that Messrs. Ames and Carvalho, the New York experts who came out here to examine the "pencil of the late James G. Fair, have made a report to Attorney Goodfellow, one of the executors of the estate, in which they assert that the will is a

forgery.

The experts also class the deeds to half a million dollars' worth of property held by Mrs. Nettle R. Craven and her marriage contract, with the late millionaire in the same category.

Believes He Was Elected

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.-William Deane believes that he was elected Auditor of the city at the recent elec-tion, instead of W. F. Broderick. He filed a contest today declaring that he had been deprived of the office by fraud, and demands a recount.

Judge George W. Towle Dead. NAPA, Dec. 12.—Judge George W, Towle died suddenly last night. He came to California in 1849, and settled in Napa county. In 1863 he was ap-pointed Superior Judge, and for many years he has been Court Commissioner.

A Route Agent Inhales Gas. SACRAMENTO, Dec. 12.—Walter Demaranville, a young man, and col-lector employed by Frank L. White, one of the Bee's city route agent, committed suicide today by inhaling

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12 .- O'Con nell & Lewis, contractors, are insolvent The failure is ascribed to an unprof itable contract on the City Hall tow and to the falling off in the iron trade The liabilities are \$70,000; assets, \$18,000

ALIENATED AFFECTIONS.

A SEATTLE REAL ESTATE DEALER

Charges a Christian Scientist and Her Husband with Influencing His Wife Against Him-Demands His Wife Against Him-Demands Twenty-six Thousand Dollars.

BOSTON, Dec. 12.—Fred W. Cham-berlain, the extensive real estate dealer of Seattle, Wash., who married Miss Anna M. Potter, a wealthy young woman, leader of Boston society, a few year ago, has filed papers in a suit against Mrs. Jospehine Curtis Wood-bury and her husband, E. Frank Woodbury, of this city, in an action of tort, damages being placed at \$26,000, for the damages being placed at \$26,000, for the alleged alienation of the affections of his wife. Mrs. Woodbury is widely-known as

student and teacher of Christian deience. Woodbury is interested in Science. Woodbury is interested in several financial enterprises in which, it is alleged, many of Mrs. Woodbury's pupils have been induced to invest. Chamberlain claims his wife for two chamberiain claims his wife for two years or more was so completely under the influence of Mrs. Woodbury that she has refused to live with him; has closed her house in the fashionable Aberdeen district, Brooklyn, and refused to live apart from Mrs. Woodbury until her husband becomes a follower of the principles taught by Mrs. Woodbury.

PULASKI'S NIECE.

Josephine S. Jerocka Takes Poison to End Her Poverty. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Josephine S. Jerocka, niece of Gen. Pulaski, who fought in the war of the American revolution and was killed at Savannah, Ga., committed suicide by poison at her home in Brooklyn today. Mme. Jerocka was a claimant for \$2,000,000 which it is said her famous grand uncle advanced to the United States

uncle advanced to the United States government.

She had, according to her story, been robbed of papers which established her claim, and was obliged to take a government clerkship at Washington, from which she was dismissed by Cleveland in his first term. Since this she has had a terrible struggle with poverty, and was finally reduced to selling papers. For some time she has been entirely dependent upon charity.

Wanted to Starve.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—With a determination to starve, Mrs. Ansena Anderson locked herself and eight-year-old daughter, Freda, in their single living-room at No. 342 West Chicago avenue, last Tuesday, and both have existed there since without food or fuel. Tonight the police, called to the scene by the neighbors, forced an entrance into the room and took mother and daughter to the station. The former, it is believed, is insane, and the latter was nearly starved. Warden Hale reported that the jute the latter was nearly starved.

SPORTING RECORD.

ERIN GO BRAGH.

THE IRISHMAN WINS THE SIX-DAY WHEEL RACE.

Nineteen Hundred and Ten Miles and Eight Laps Covered by Him Since Last Sunday.

SCHOCK'S TIME IS BETTERED.

Rainy Weather at Ingleside—The Chess Game at Vienna Won by Janowski—A Cable Match with America.

TWELVE OF THE FIFTEEN MEN

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Edward Hale
of Ireland won the six-days bicycle race
in Madison Square Garden, having ridden 1910 miles 8 laps between midnight
last Sunday and 10 o'clock tonight. J.
S. Rice of Wilkesbarre, Pa., finished
second, with 1882 miles 6 laps to his
credit. Twelve riders broke the world's
record for 142 hours, made by Albert
Schock in 1893, 1600 miles 1 lap.

Twenty-eight men started and fifteen
rode at the finish. The strain on all
has been great, and all showed the effects of the loss of sleep. Hale and
Rice, who finished first and second,
were fresher than any of the others. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

were fresher than any of the others. Hale spurted to the end, and between 9 and 10 o'clock made a mile in 2:40, after riding more than one hundred and fifty-one hours. Taylor, the colored boy, who has been in buoyant spirits all the week, was so stiff when he dismounted that he had to be carried to his dressing-room. The scene in the garden this evening was exciting, although there was no doubt as to the order in which the men would finish. The attendance was 12,000.

Edward Hale, the winner of the race, was born in Temple Patrick, near Bel-fast, Ireland. He has been riding the bicycle for seventeen years, and during that time has taken part in hundreds of races at all distances. He has won of races at all distances. He has won all the long-distance events in England and has, it is said, won as many as any other bleyole rider living. Hale has ridden in many of the big races in France, and has often been a winner. He won a road race from Paris to Bayonne. Before the present race the longest distance Hale had ridden was 875 miles, in a road race in England. Hale rode an English wheel, geared to 98, higher than that of any other rider. The prizes to the winners will be: First man, \$1300; second, \$800; third, \$500; fourth \$450; fifth, \$300; sixth, \$200; seventh, \$150; eighth, \$125; ninth, \$100; tenth, \$100; eleventh, \$75.

Manager Pat Powers, however, said every man who remained in the race to the finish would set \$100.

the finish would get \$100 extra.

YESTERDAY'S RACING. NEW YORK, Dec, 12.-The six-day NEW YORK, Dec, 12.—The six-day international bicycle race at Madison Square Gardens ends at 10 o'clock tonight. Unless the mexpected happens, Hale will will previous records, and become king of long-distance riders. Over thirty miles separated him from his nearest competitor at 3 a.m. Rice, the next man, was over seventy-two miles ahead of Forster, the third man. "Soldier" Reading was only eleven miles behind the ing was only eleven miles behind the "Flying Dutchman." Rice is in a bad way and unless he keeps to work will be passed by Forster and Reading. Schock, the winner of the last six-day race, pulled up considerably in the last twenty-four hours, and at 2 o'clock was twenty-eight miles ahead of his own six-day record. This morning Tay-lor went fast asleep on his wheel, He leaned against the rail five minutes.

seemingly oblivious of everything Rice, 1728; Reading, 1705; Forster, 1691; Schock, 1651; Smith, 1631; Taylor, 1608; Moore, 1563; Pierce, 1611; Ashinger, 1553; Maddox, 1525; Cassidy, 1474; Gannon, 1282; McLeod, 1242; Glick, 1048. The eleven contestants were ahead of the record for 130 hours. Hale shows signs of breaking up, and there is no doubt that twenty-four hours would put him out altogether. Rice, 1728; Reading, 1705; Forster, 1691;

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Score at 2 p.m.: Hale, 1819; Rice, 1794; Reading, 1773; Forster, 1751; Schock, 1792; Smith, 1685; Taylor, 1655; Moore, 1513; Pierce, 1660; Ashinger, 1603; Maddox, 1575; Cassidy, 1529; Cannon, 1305; McLeod, 1216.

Enthusiasm reached fever heat early in the afternoon, when Hale and Rice, with less than twenty-seven miles between then, commenced to ride in dead earnest. The Irishman's eyes gleamed and snapped fire, and he invited the Wilkesbarre lad to "come on." The latter accepted the challenge, but was pumped dry at the end of half an hour, and the Irishman and "Maj." Taylor had a go. It was mutually agreed by the riders to withdraw from the track between 4 and 5 o'clock, during which hour several spirited races were run.

The closing hours of the race were marked by the greatest enthusiasm ever di-played at such a contest in this country. Nearly ten thousand persons were in the garden at 8 o'clock, and in many of the boxes were elegantly-attired women. The throng in the arena was so great that the services of the police were required to prevent the spectators from pressing too close against the railing around the track.

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At 4 o'clock p.m., Maddox told his friends that he was going to give Moore a run for tenth place. At that time Maddox had 1596 miles and Moore 1599. At 7 o'clock, Maddox had gained on the Philadelphian, and at 8 o'clock he was riding at sprinting speed. Maddox made three laps to every two made by the other riders. He rode with as much vim as he did at the beginning of the race, and every time he passed the other riders the crowd yelled itself hoarse.

The final score at 10 p.m. was: Hale, 1910.8; Rice. 1882.6; Reading, 1855.3; Forster, 1829.4; Schock, 1766.2; Smith, 1754.7; Pierce, 1758.1; Taylor, 1732.2; Ashinger, 1673.3; Moore, 1661.7; Maddox, 1644.3; Cassidy, 1605; Gannon 1366.8; McLeod, 1370.2; Glick, 1096.3.

THE POOLROOM WAR.

All Places in Chicago Closed by the Authorities' Orders.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) CHICAGO, Dec. 12.-The war between

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The war between the city authorities and the poolrooms developed into active hostilities today, and all the rooms opened were raided. The gamblers claimed that the law didance prevent the placing of bets in Illinois, if the money was sent out of the State before being actually used for betting purposes. The city legal department for a time held that the police had no right to interfere, but today the police were told to go ahead.

Inspector Fitzpatrick notified the keepers of poolrooms that unless they closed their places within an hour they would be taken into custody. Five did

not comply, and these places were

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The weather was rainy at Ingleside, and the track was sloppy.

Six furiongs, two-year-olds: Rey del Tierra won, Good Times second, Bernardillo third; time 1:17.

One mile and a Sixteenth: Alvarado won, Little Cripple second, Hazard third; time 1:51.

One mile, handicap: Summertime won, Wyoming second, Peter the Second third; time 1:44.

Six furiongs, Palace Hotel Stakes, value \$1300: Midlight won, Scarf Pin second, Fig Leaf third; time 1:64.

One and a half miles, handicap: Haymarket won, Zaragossa second, Col. Weightman third; time 2:54%.

Seven furiongs: Midlo won, Perseus second, Lucky Dog third; time 1:30. Ingleside Races

ONE OF THE PALACES SERVED HIM

Pope Took the Ribbon. Pope Took the Ribbon.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The blue ribbon of the horse show for the best high stepper was considered the most desirable of all the honors in the equine tournament, and for its possession the rivalry between Walter Hosart and George A. Pope was very keen. Today Pope carried off the first prize, Hobart winning the next three. Each of the contests had a number of entries.

Janowski Was Winner. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The chess match at Vienna between Janowski and Winawer ended November 24 in favor of the former by a score of 5 to 2

British-America Chess. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The British Chess Club of London has now finally accepted February 12 for beginning the cable match with America.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

The President has recognized Juan Jino as Consul of Ecuador at San Fran

nance unconstitutional.

A Vienna dispatch says Count Trauttmansfdorf-Weinstberg, President of the Austrian House of Lords, is dead.

Col. James Biddle, Ninth Cavairy, and
Capt. E. G. Mathey, Seventh Cavairy, have
been placed on the retired list. oeen piaced on the retired list.

A cablegram from Rome says special
Chinese envoys now in Italy have placed
several orders for large battleships and
cruisers.

Miss Frances E. Willard has issued an adpeal to the "dear mothers and sisters of America" asking them to remember at Christmas
time the orphans of Armenia.

A Helens (Monz) dispatch and William

A Helena (Mont.) dispatch says William Coontz was killed and Reuben Beveridge fatally wounded by George Bierber in a quarrel in a saloon at Princeton, Granite county, yesterday.

yesterday.

South McAlester, I. T., dispatch says Night Watchman McDonald was killed there Friday night in a battle with burglars, whom he attempted to arrest after they had blown open the safe in J. B. Borland's store and robbed it of its contents.

A Cleveland dispatch says F. B. Newton, lumber dealer, made an assignment yesterday to J. E. Smith. The assets are estimated at \$125,000; liabilities about the same. Chattel mortgages were filed by preferred creditors to the amount of about \$80,000.

A New York dispatch says William J.

A New York dispatch says William J. Bagot and Peter Bagot, composing the firm of Bagot & Son, dealers in drygoods, today assigned to Ambrose O. McCall, without preferences. The liabilities are \$140,000; assets, \$45,000. Dull trade and pressure of creditors caused the failure.

The Temps of Paris appropriate that the same pressure of the same p

creditors caused the failure.

The Temps of Paris announces that an international conference of the representatives of Germany, Austria. Belgium, France and Russia will meet in Paris in March of next year for the purpose of considering the best means of brining about the 'abolition of sugar bounties.

liance with France.

A Princeton (N. J.) dispatch says Mrs. Cleveland spent yesterday afternoon in Princeton sightseeing and inspecting the property recently purchased by President Cleveland. Preparations are being made to build a large extension to the house as it stands now and also to build stables.

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The British steamer Damarara, Capt, Chambers, from Halifax, on November 29, arrived at London Friday and landed five members of the crew of the British brig Victoria Regent from St. Johns, N. F., which vessel was abandoned in a sinking condition on December 9, in lat. 46, long, 21. Two members of the crew were drowned.

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The Guatemalan Minister and Mme. Arriaga entertained at dinner last night at Washington in honor of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Olney. The guests included Secretary and Mrs. Carlisle, Mrs. Harmon, Secretary and Mrs. Carlisle, Mrs. Harmon, Secretary and Mrs. Francis, Postmaster-General Wilson and wife and Secretary and Miss Morton.

A Princeton dispatch says the subject of debate between Harvard and Princeton, to take place on the 18th, is "Resolved, that, assuming the adoption of adequate constitutional amendments, the United States should institute a system of responsible Cabinet government." Harvard has the negative. Sidney R. Writhington, '97, of Fall River will be Harvard's first speaker.

A Vienna dispatch says that during a budget debate in the Reichsrath, Herr Vassattiviolently attacked the Triple Alliance and declared it was formed by Bismarck from

set debate in the Reicharan, nerr vassati violentity attacked the Triple Alliance and declared it was formed by Bismarck from necessity, after Germany had been rebuifed by Russia. Herr Menger replied, stating that the Triple Alliance formed the basis of the policy of Austria, and his party, he added, hoped it would soon be made a permanent league.

A London cablegram says the Viceroy of India has cabled a statement to the effect that the past week has been rainless. Owing to previous rains, however, the number of those requiring relief in the northwest province has been reduced from 25 to 25 per cent. Rains at Bombay have considerably contracted the area of distress. Late sowings continue at Bombay and Madras. At most places rain is needed later in the season.

A Denver dispatch says the American Society of Irrigation Engineers adjourned last night. Permanent headquarters were passed favoring the home-rule that he reclamation of artid lands.

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ABDUL HAMID'S BROTHER NOW AT LARGE.

Fits of Melancholy Due to His Incapacity to Govern

IMPRISONED BY HIS RELATIVE.

His Accession and Subsequent Down

fall-Eminent Physicians Passed Upon His Case-Whereabouts Now Unknown.

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.) BERLIN, Dec. 12 .- (Special Dispatch.) to the Tageblatt says that ex-Sultan Murad, brother of Sultan Abdul Hamid, has escaped from his place of confine

on of Abdul Medjid, late Sultan of Turkey. Sultan Abdul Aziz was posed from his throne May 30, 1876, and on the same day Murad was visited by a high dignitary of state and informed that he was to become Sultan, whereupon he proceeded to the great Hall of the Seraskiat and was

duly instailled.
Soon after his accession, he discovered his total incapacity to conduct the government in face of the difficulties by which it was surrounded. He came subject to fits of melancholy and lethargy, from which it was nearly impossible to arouse him. Eminent physicians were sent for to Vienna,

EX-SULTAN ESCAPES, who, after examination, pronounced the patient unfitted by the nature of his malady for the conduct of the diffi-

cult and delicate duties of his place. Upon the advice of the physicians in question, the Ministerial Council, after referring the law questions of the case to the Sheik Ul Islam, decided upon his deposition, which was effected August 31, 1876. He was succeeded younger brother, Abdul Hamid, who was proclaimed Sultan the same day. After his deposition, Murad was kept prisoner in one of the palaces of Sultan, his brother.

HIS DOOM CONFIRMED.

But Walling Went on Playing Cards with His Companions.

COVINGTON (Ky.,) Dec. 12.—When the news that his death-sentence was affirmed was told Walling, he was playing cards with Scott Jackson and Robert Laughlin, who is to be hanged January 9 for killing his wife and niece. Walling was indifferent. He insisted he had nothing to fear. Then he urged his companions to proceed with the game.

WAVED THE BLACK FLAG. FRANKFORT (Ky.,) Dec. 12.—Frank
G. Robbins was arrested today for
contempt of court. It is claimed that
Robbins clandestinely secured news
by eavesdropping in the court consultation room and gave the Walling decision to the Times-Star over an hour
before it was announced by the court.
He had two flags, one white and one
black. The latter indicating that the
decision affirmed the death sentence
in the Walling case. Representatives
of other papers saw him wave the
black flag and informed the court. Robbins belonged to one of the most prominent families in Cincinnati. He was
fined and sentenced to thirty days in
jail.

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FRANKFORT (Ky.,) Dec. 12.—The Court of Appeals today reaffirmed the decision of the lower court of Newport, Ky., sentencing Alonzo Walling to be hanging as an accomplice of Scott Jackson in the murder of Pearl Bryan last June. It is quite likely the date fixed for the execution of both men will be about the anniversary of the murder, early in February.

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ceived with Adverse Comment.
The Northwestern Railway
Trouble—The Queen.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) LONDON, Déc. 12.—(By Atlantic Cable, Associated Press Copyright, 1896.) The text of the Russian-Chinese treaty, reproduced here from the North China Daily News, has aroused con-siderable discussion on all sides, and it is regarded as a matter of the greatest importance. Some of the newspapers refuse to believe it authentic, as it refuse to believe it authentic, as it would be such a victory for Russian diplomacy. The Spectator says today, however, it believes it to be exact, and says: "No forger would have tried so elaborately to protect the pride of China. While securing every Russian China. While securing every Russian object, nothing is ceded openly. Russia is permitted to run a railway to Kiirin, and is expressly authorized to keep all the troops she pleases to pro-tect the Manchuria stations, and she is also to fortify Port Arthur for China.

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"No glass is required to interpret phrases like these, which completely invest Russia with military control of Manchuria and the Liao-Tung Penin-

Continuing, the Spectator says, it thinks the arrangement threatens Japan more than Great Britain, "which can resist when her commercial rights are threatened.

Sir Charles Dilke, in a speech, ha Sir Charles Dilke, in a speech, has expressed the opinion that the treaty will place Northern China at the feet of Russia, and that it is wholly inconsistent with the promises which China made to England when she left Fort Hamilton. He favored the reoccupation of that fort.

Sir Arthur B. Forward, member of Parliament for the southwest division of Lancaster, Conservative, in a speech yesterday evening, said that probably China would become to Russia what India was to England and that English trade in China would be superseded by

India was to England and that English trade in China would be superseded by Russian manufactures. In regard to the doubts expressed as to the actual completion of the treaty, the speaker said he happened to know that Russian government engineers were now in Manchuria studying the proposed railway.

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The French government apparently has at length decided to abolish the penal establishment in New Caledonia, which the Australians have long demanded. The convicts will be sent to Madagascar instead.

Great indignation prevails in antiquarian circles at the news that a number of Druidical remains at Dartmore have been destroyed, notably a stone avenue and several hut circles on Sherburton common. It appears that the rural council contractors broke up the ruins to utilize the pieces of stone in mending roads.

Edwin A. Abbey, the American artist, is one of those who have been commissioned to paint the frescoes of the vacant spaces in the Royal Exchange.

The announcement that a foreign parcel post will be reëstablished in pursuance of the recent act of the Congress of the United States is warmly received here; but there are unpleasant remarks on the alleged narrowness. gress of the United States is warmly received here; but there are unpleasant remarks on the alleged narrowness of th policy of confining the transmission of parcels to American vessels.

The Daily Tetegraph claims to see in this a characteristic example of "a narrow protectionist spirit," but expresses the opinion that it will be found difficult if not impossible in actual ex-

desire."
Eir Edward Lawson, the principal proprietor of the Daily Telegraph and a large and distinguished shooting party met the Prince of Wales at Sir Edward's country place, Hall Barn, Beaconsfield, Buckinghamshire, during the past three days. The party included Baron Russell, Sir Henry Irving, Sir Edwin Arnold, Sir Frank Lockwood, William Weldorf Astor and the Pulse of William Waldorf Astor and the Duke of

cluded Baron Russell, Sir Henry Irving, Sir Edwin Arnold, Sir Frank Lockwood, William Waldorf Astor and the Duke of Devonshire.

The statement made by Sir Thomas Sutherland, chairman of the Pacific and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, to the stockholders of that concern, that trade with the port of London is waning, has attracted attention, and is generally indorsed in shipping and mercantile circles. London is declared to be still the leading port of the world, but it is losing its prestige as a distributing center, and goods are being taken direct to continental ports.

The two chief reasons given are the exorbitant dock charges and the dearness of London labor.

The trouble with the Northwestern Railroad was partly settled esserday by the intervention of the Board of Trade. The Northwestern employés have been agitating for improved conditions, hinting at a strike which would paralyze. Christmas traffic unless their demands were conceded. The railroad authorities, however, took the bull by the horns. After they had engaged numbers of reliable men, they dismissed several of the most discontented, who admitted they would strike if called out by the union. This caused a general outcry from all the Northwestern employés and the situation became critical, until the railroad chiefs submitted the matter to the Board of Trade, which arranged an amicable settlement involving the reinstatement of the dismissed men and the recognition of their union, which the company has hitherto ignored. The men claim to have won the victory, but the question of their union, which the company has hitherto ignored. The men claim to have won the victory but the question of the improvement of their lot is still unsettled. Special interest and importance is attached to the arbitrary attitude of the railroad officials and their subsequent chaage of front, owing to the personnel of the company's stockholders, which includes the Marquis of Salisbury. Lord Rosebery, the Duke of Norfolk and other prominent people.

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LONDON, Dec. 12.—(By Atlantic Cable. Associated Press Copyright, 1896.)
With mild and rainy weather during the past week, London has been at its worst, and already the exit from the metropolis of distinguished people intent upon enjoying their Christmas folidays is very general.

The Queen will leave Windsor Castle for Osborne next Friday, where she will receive a family party during the Christmas holidays. The party will consist of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and their children; Princess Louise and the Marquis of Lorne, and the Duchess of Albany and her children. There are to be no festivities of any kind at Osborne during the winter residence of the court. Mr. and Mrs. George N. Curzon were among the Queen's guests at Windsor during the winter residence of the court. Mr. and Mrs. George N. Curzon were among the Queen's guests at Windsor during the winter week.

Prince Charles of Denmark and his yifa, Princess Maude of Wales, are go-

ing to Copenhagen at the end of the coming week for the first time since their wedding. The delay of Prince Charles in bringing his wife home has caused a great deal of dissatisfaction in Denmark and has aroused much comment, it being even stated that the Princess refused to leave her own country. A suite of twenty-five rooms has been decorated and furnished for their reception in the immense palace, near Copenhagen, of their uncle, the King of Greece.

The fat cattle show at Agricultural Hall, Islington, has been an unusual success. There were 574 entries exclusive of poultry, and the Queen Prince of Wales and Lord Rosebery were big winners.

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At a meeting held in Edinburgh on Thursday to promote a memorial to the late Robert Louis Stevenson. Lord Rosebery presiding, His Lordship alluded to Stevenson as the successor of Sir Walter Scott, and said he desired to see a memorial that testified to Stevenson's passion for Scott, Scotland and for Edinburgh.

An interesting, artistic gathering was that of the new Bonds Club at the Christmas dinner given to Lord Roberts, commander-in-chief of the forces in Ireland, on Wednesday. The hall was filled with a brilliant assemblage. One of the features of the evening was the presence of a lady reporter at the press table. At the conclusion of the banquet she calmly produced cigarettes and indulged in the smoke.

The first big sealskin sale of the season occurred on Wednesday. Although the offerings were far below the usual number, being only 60,000 pelts, there was a great decline, averaging 20 per cent. in price. The reason given for this is that the trade in America has not yet recovered from the turmoil of the election, and there was scarcely a buyer or a commission from that country.

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George Pentecost, the American evangelist, will probably accept the call to
New York, his successor is being discussed here, and it is generally thought
that the Rev. Dr. John Watson (Ian
McLaren) will fill the vacancy.

INTERNAL REVENUE.

GENERAL INCREASE REPORTED IN THE VARIOUS ITEMS.

Estimated Receipts from All Source During the Fiscal Year Amount to One Hundred and Twenty Million Dollars.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.-The annua report of Commissioner Joseph S. Miller of the Internal Revenue Bureau shows the receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1896, to have been \$146. 830,615; for the fiscal year 1895, \$143,446,-077; for the fiscal year 1894, \$147,168,449, and for the fiscal year 1893, \$161,004,989.

The receipts during the last fiscal year from the several sources of revenue and the increase or decrease in each, as compared with the fiscal year. 1895, are given as follows: Spirits, \$80,-860,000; increase, \$807,443; tobacco, \$30,-711,629; increase, \$1,006,721; fermented liquors, \$33,784,235; increase, \$2,143,617; oleomargarin, \$1,219,432; decrease, \$189,778; banks and bankers, \$134; increase, \$134; miscellaneous, \$445,113; decrease, \$183,000.

The estimated receipts from all sources during the fiscal year 1896 are \$120,000,000. 1895, are given as follows: Spirits, \$80,

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The commissioner says: "I desire to call attention to the marked improvement in the service in the field since the classification in the civil service law of the employes in that branch of the service."

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The work performed by the revenue agents during the year is given as follows: Number of registered distilleries selzed, 210; illicit distilleries selzed and destroyed, 1916; gallons of spirits seized. 123,688; fermenters selzed and destroyed, 16,986 gallons; of beer seized and destroyed, 1,398,034.

The number of persons arrested was 839. Three persons were wounded. Since 1885 ten officers and employés have been killed and fifteen wounded. The quantity of grain used for the products of spirits during the year ending 1896 was 18,630,618 bushels, showing an increase of 1,130,000 bushels over the actual amount of grain used in the preceding years, and 324,434 bushels less than the average for the last ten years.

A HYPOTHECATE BANK.

CHICAGO.

een the Laboring Man and Chattel-mortgage Sharps-Authorized Capital Ten Million Dollars.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The Times-Herald says the International Hypothecate Bank is the name of the newest Chicago financial institution. It is the only one of its kind in this country. It will stand between the laboring man and the chattel-mortgage shark and the pawnbroker. It will send the immigrants' money abroad and handle foreign money sent here for invest-ment. It has other alms of a wide scope. The bank has been incorporated under the laws of Iowa. The men back of the institution will select directors and elect officers at the earliest possible moment, and open for business in

While Dubuque is named as the principal place of business, that is simprincipal place of business, that is simply to comply with the corporation laws of Iowa. Chicago will be the real headquarters. The real incorporators are Henry A. Cors, James Horsch, Edward H. Talbot, Charles Stickney, Edgar L. Wells, J. T. Darling and F. W. Ihno, all of Chicago. The authorized capital is \$10,000,000. Provisions have already been made for branches to be estab-lished in all the bourses of Europe. Of the \$10,000,000 authorized capital, \$1,-

lished in all the bourses of Europe.
Of the \$10,000,000 authorized capital, \$1,000,000 is to be subscribed, and \$500,000
paid up before the bank begins business. A good share of the \$1,000,000 is
said to be taken up already, and there
is nothing in the way to hinder the
commencement of business in the coming month. Of the incorporators, F.
W. Ihno is an expert, well known
throughout the West.
Ihno said: "The business intentions
of the company as stated are correct.
I am under the impression that no
similar institution has ever been
started in this country, although there
are several in Europe modeled on a
similar plan, which have proved to be
a great success. I think the company
will choose its officers and open for
business during the latter part of January, and if not then, certainly in the
earlier part of February."
Henry A. Cors is mentioned as the
probable president of the new bank.

ASSASSINATED.

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of the war.

While they consider the death of Antonio Maceo a great blow to the insurgents, it is pointed out that some time must elapse before it can be fully felt. When Maceo and Gomez were asked at an earlier period of the insurrection whether they would order their followers to lay down their arms in the event that autonomy were granted to Cuba, they refused and said they would only consent to complete

independence and a republican form of government.

Spain, therefore, is convinced that the rebellion will have to be crushed by force of arms and that to discuss reforms at the present moment would be equivalent to proposing an arrangement with the insurgents which almost would secure a peace which would not last six months. It is maintained that so long as the slightest doubt of the superiority of Spain exists in Cuba the war will continue, but that when her superiority is established, Spain will consider the advisability of granting such reforms as may be necessary.

CASTELIAR ON THE MESSAGE.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A World dispatch from Madrid says that Señor Emilio Castelar, the noted Spanish Republican leader, gives the following statement of his opinion on that part of President Cleveland's message which refers to the Cuban question:

"I do not consider the President's message unfavorable to Spain, because the attitude of Mr. Cleveland reminds me of that of Gen. Grant in 1873, only Mr. Cleveland read a harder lecture to the insurgents and the jingo elements in the United States. His silence on Cuban independence and his opposition to recognition of belligerency shows really honest, correct, statesmanlike conduct. So does his official disposition toward Spain. He said decently. I persist in believing that the more reasonable, the far-sighted element of the American people, the old Puritan stock, will give us fair play. I approve the temporizing attitude of Mr. Cleveland in the first part of his message. I consider his reply to the resolution of the American Congress last winter as a damper for the insurgents.

"In the latter part of the message undoubtedly there are unpalateable declarations against which all patriotic Spaniards protest. For instance, what he says about the sale of Cuba the inaccurate statements concerning the situation in the colony and the conduct of our forces of generals.

"But we must distinguish in the latter part of the message between the purely hypothetical surmises as to what America might deem herself justified in doing if Spain were impotent to crush the insurrection promptly, and the friendly advice and suggestions volunteered by Mr. Cleveland when he recommends, and even offers to cooperate in obliging the Cubans to accept autonomy or home rule, which we ourselves offered them a large installment of interest law which the Cortes passed last year.

"We must be practical and understand that this part of the message is calculated merely to arrest the impatience of the public i

States, and commit suicide at once for all European power attempting to interfere with the politics of the New World. Mr. Cleveland thus gains time, and allows us to expect that he will remain friendly to the end of nis term of office."

Other Spanish statesmen, chiefly Liberals, but even some supporters of the government, say Spain must be thankful for the prospect of having her hands free for a few months longer.

THE VAMOOSE "VAMOOSES."

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WILMINGTON (N. C..) Dec. 12.—The steam yacht Vamoose, which has been chartered to carry press dispatches from Havana to Key West, sailed from this point at noon. In accordance with instructions from Washington, Collector Kennan boarded her and made a critical inspection of her papers and belongings, but found nothing suspicious and she was allowed to depart. The collector was again wired from Washington to detain her, but the word was too late, as the boat had then crossed the bar and gotten out to sea.

CLEVELANDYS MESSAGE. WILMINGTON (N. C.,) Dec. 12.-The

CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE MADRID, Dec. 12.-No session of the Cabinet has been held here since Presi-Cabinet has been held here since President Cleveland transmitted his message to the Congress of the United States, owing to the illness of Premier Canovas. In official circles it is not believed any diplomatic note will be issued or any action whatever taken in reference to the message of President Cleveland. The widely-circulated statement that the Cortes has been convoked is purely falsehood.

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The steamships San Francisco, Montserrat, Buenos Ayres and Sartrustegui have arrived here with reinforcements of 6000 troops. Among the passengers

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The insurgent leader Carlos Menditia was wounded in the same engagement in which Maceo was killed.

Dr. Zertucha, in an interview here, says he has not the slightest idea of the place where the insurgents have buried the remains of Maceo and Gomez.

mez.
The Triton has just returned from the Province of Pinar del Rio with 346 soldiers on board.

ACCOMMANDED MACEO WAS NOT MACEO. JACKSONVILLE (Fla.,) Dec. 12.-A

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.,) Dec. 12.—A special to the Citizen from Key West, Fla., says that passengers by the Olivette today announce that Maceo is still alive. Dr. Zertucha, who claims to be his physician, betrayed him and only escaped by a miracle. He went with Maceo as far as the trocha and saw the party through safely.

They were commanded by a mulatto, who resembles Maceo, who was killed in the engagement, after passing the trocha. Then Maceo and his few followers returned to Pinar del Rio province, and went into a cabin, when the doctor reported to the Spanish. They succeeded in killing most of the party, but Maceo brained the first man and escaped to the woods, leaving his clothing and effects at the cabin.

Great excitement exists here over the news.

FILIBUSTER LAURADA.

Trouble Over the Vessel's Attempt to Enter a Spanish Port. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The trouble arising over the attempt of the American steamer Laurada to enter the port of Valencia, Spain, has been fully communicated to the authorities here. Señor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish Minister, was at the State Department, and it is understood his main purpose was to confer with Secretary Olney regarding the Laurada. No announcement has been made of the attitude of the United States, but there is good reason to believe the officials of both governments will act together to prevent sensational developments.

A careful watch has been kept on the Laurada for many months, and it is claimed her present movement to a WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The trouble

Spanish port is designed to precipitate an outbreak and provoke an indignity to the American flag which she carries. It is also pointed out that the Laurada was chosen to go to the Spanish port which has shown the most excitement during the present trouble. It was there that student riots were aroused, and an excited mob threw stones at the American consulate.

As showing the character of the Laurada's trip, the watch kept upon her discloses that she went from Halifax with a cargo of apples for Swansea, Eng., and thence to Naples, Mersina and Palermo, Italian ports on the Mediterranean. From Palermo she salled for Valencia, with the ostensible purpose of taking on a cargo of oranges and coaling. It is asserted, however, that this proposed entry is not made in good faith, as the usual place of coaling for ships leaving the Mediterranean is at Gibraltar, where the facilities are ample; also that a cargo of oranges might have been secured at any of the Italian ports where she stopped.

MADRID, Dec. 12.—It is reported here that the United States government has instructed Theodore Mertens, United States consular agent at

here that the United States government has instructed Theodore Mertens, United States consular agent at Grao, four miles from Valencia, to advise the captain of the Laurada not to attempt to enter the port at Valencia. If the captain of the Laurada insists upon entering the harbor, he must take the responsibility. It is now stated at Valencia that the mysterious steamer which has been hovering off the coast during the last twenty-four hours is not the Laurada, and that the Laurada is not expected to arrive at Valencia until Monday.

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Madrid, Dec. 12.—It now transpires that the semi-official statement published by the government organ, El Imparcial, on November 9, that the American Cuban fillbustering steamer Laurada, recently loading at Messina, Italy, would not touch at Valencia. Spain, but that her cargo was intended for Valencia, Venezuela, was made with the view of calming any excitement which may have been aroused in Spain on the subject.

The report had been widely circulated that the Laurada was to be taken to Spanish ports with the object of provoking a demonstration and bringing about trouble between the United States and Spain. Meanwhile, it is understood, efforts were made to persuade the Laurada people from carrying out their project of landing at Valencia, Spain.

The United States consular agent at Grao, four miles from Valencia, Theodore Mertens, telegraphed to Hannis Taylor, the United States Minister here, asking for instructions and warning him of the angry feeling prevailing at Valencia. He said that the port authorities had decided, if the Laurada arrived, not to allow her alongside the quays, so as to prevent the possibility of any attack upon her. In addition, the local authorities at Valencia took steps to energetically suppress any anti-Laurada manifestations.

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NO SERIOUS OBJECTIONS

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ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE. WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.-It has been boundary negotiations since they were transferred to Caracas.

It is true that Messrs. Andrade and Storrow expected to sail for the United States from La Guayara last Thursday, Storrow expected to sail for the United states from La Guayara last Thursday, after having completed their mission, which was to secure the approval of the Venezuelan government to the terms arranged in Washington, but their detention is explained by the fact that the Venezuelan Executive, after having given its approval, found that some additions to the present treaty were desirable. These, it is understood, are not of great importance, and are rather in the nature of additional safeguards than of amendments of the articles of agreement already arranged.

As the matter thus far has not yet reached the treaty stage, and only the heads of agreement have been indicated in the memorandum between Secretary Olney and Lord Salisbury, there are no technical obstacles to the proposed additions, and the only questions.

there are no technical obstacles to the proposed additions, and the only question for consideration is whether or not their proposition at this stage will in any way jeopardize the entire agreement of Great Britain or cause delay in its consummation.

NO MODIFICATION. NO MODIFICATION.

LONDON. Dec. 12.—The Chronicle publishes a dispatch from its Washington correspondent to the effect that Mr. Storrow, counsel in the Venezuelan boundary dispute, who is now in Caracas, has asked Secretary of State Olney whether the protocol can be modified. This correspondent claims that the Secretary of State will not consent to any modification. It is also asserted that if Venezuela declines to agree to a settlement, the United States will withdraw its support.

THE EX-QUEEN.

She Telegraphed That She Will Be boston Soon.

BOSTON, Dec. 12.—William Lee, publisher, received a dispatch from

San Francisco as follows:

"Arrived here this morning. Expect to reach Boston within a fortnight. Will telegraph exact date later.

(Signed)

"LILIUOKALANI."
Lee is a cousin of the late John Dominis, husband of the ex-Queen. "I have no further information on the subject," said he, "than what is contained in that dispatch. I have no idea what her plans are, or what her object in coming here is."

"Do you imagine the object is political?"

"Id not. In her letters to us she San Francisco as follows:

"I do not. In her letters to us she had alluded but slightly to political affairs, but she certainly has given us the impression she should make no efforts to regain the throne. My personal opinion is she simply desires a change of scene, and wishes to visit her friends."

President Cleveland's Hunt.

CHARLESTON (S. C.,) Dec. 12.—The buoy-tender Wisteria, Capt. Brown, left here today for Georgetown, S. C., where she will be boarded tomorrow by President Cleveland and party. The Wisteria will be at the service of the President and his party for several days. The party will be met at Georgetown by Gen. Alexander, who has arranged for a big duck hunt on and around Winyan Bay. President Cleveland's Hunt.



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Alligator Cigar Case, nickel frame, \$1 each.
Grain Calf Letter Case, 50c each.
Gent's Bill Book, grain calf, 75c each.
Chatal; ine Bags, American seal, \$1.50.
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American Seal Collar and Cuff Boxes, \$1.50.
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Celluloid Necktie Boxes, 75c each.
Celluloid Odor Cases, 1 bottle, \$1.00 each.
Celluloid Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, \$2.50 set
Celluloid Hosiery Boxes, \$2.50 each.
Raymond's Perfume, 2 bottles in box, 50c box.

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MUSIC HALL, 231 S. SPRING ST., IS where the Harmonial Spiritual Association meets Sunday aftermoon and evening. Only those who have a national reputation and are unquestionable expositors of this doctrine of nature's great gift to man will at my time be presented from our rostrum. Mrs. R. S. Lillie of Boston, one of the present day, will give two addresses, at 2:30. Mrs. Lillie will answer questions from the audience. Evening subject, "The Status of Spiritualists." This Sunday closes Mrs. Adille's engagement with the association. It will certainly repay any one who has a desire to learn something of a scientific and instructive nature to listen to her discourses on this occasion. Mr. J. T. Lillie, soloist of Boston; contraits solos by Mrs. Emma Sherwood of Chicago. Careful training has given Mrs. Sherwood a large range and perfect control, and it goes without any further reference that a lady with such vocal capabilities is an acquisition to all the music lovers of Los Angeles. Duet entitled "Life's Dream is O'er," by Mr. J. T. Lillie; of Boston and Mrs. Emma Sherwood of Chicago; piano solo, Mr. J. T. Lillie; choir led by Mr. E. A. Humphrey. MUSIC HALL, 231 S. SPRING ST., where the Harmonial Spiritual Associat

Chicago: piano solo, Mr. J. T. Lillie; choir led by Mr. E. A. Humphrey.

IRST SPIRITUAL SOCIETY—BENM BAR.

Reg gives two farewell test meetings for this society today at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. Friends, strangers and skeptics, this is your last portunity to investigate this wonderful medium's gifts. Carlyle Petersliea, the world-famous planist, author, musician and tenor, will play and sing at both services. At the evening meeting Espinoza, the popular saxophone soloist of the Seventh Regiment Fand, will play some soul-entrancing music on that wonderful instrument. Mrs. Barney will sing the "Angels' Serenade." with saxophone obligate by Espinoza; Carlyle Petersliea accompanist and musical director. Come early, The hall will be crowded. Don't mistake the number, 216-218 W. Third st., hall on ground floor; entrance through the fouthern California Music Company's store, in the Bradbury Bldg.

CHURCH NOTICES-

SIMPSON M. E. TABERNACLE, HOPE ST., bet. 7th and Society Meetings.

SIMPSON M. E. TABERNACLE, HOPE ST., bet. 7th and Sth sta., 19:56 a.m., sermon by the pastor, Rev. C. O. McLean, D.D.; child ren will be cared for during above service in the kindegarten in Social Hail by carriul attendants, 7:39 sermon by the pastor-gan, and Prof. Cornell's chorus choir will render the singing. Tomorrow (Monday) and others interested in the work of the Parkhurst Committee, is called at Simpson Tabernacle for Conference, inquiry and suggestion. Miss Gabrielle Stickney of the W.C.T.U. is to preside.

ST., PAUL'S CHURCH (EPISCOPAL.) BET. kitch and Sixth; Rev. John Gray, rector, Rev. E. A. Osborn and Rev. A. B. Weymouth, assisting; holy communion, 3 a.m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a.m.; hev. Scovill of the diocese of Wisconsin, preacher; music by the large chorus of 50 volces; solemn penitential service, 7:39 p.m., the rector officiating, St. Paul's church is in walking distance of principal hotels; Ninth-st. cars pass the door. All seats free. All strangers welcome.

CONCERT UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE Universalist choir will be given next Friday evening, December 18, at 3301/4 S. Broadway (Owens Block), assisted by Delphine G. Todd, Clarence W. Cook, the Gade Quartette and others. Admission, 25 cents.

CHURCH OF THE UNITY. COR. THIRD and Hill sts. Rev. J. S. Thomson, pastor. Service Sunday at 11 a.m.; Sabbath-school, 9:30 a.m. Subject Sunday morning, "Christ and Peter Walking on the Lake." There will be no evening service.

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FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, CALEdonia Hall, 119½. Spring st., Rev. A. A.
Rice, pastor; sermon, 11 a.m.; subject,
"Purging the Slums;" Sunday-school, 12:15
p.m.; choir concert, Friday evening, Dec.
18, at 330½. S. Broadway.

THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY LECtures at BLAVATSKY HALL, 555 W. Fifth
st., at 11 a.m. "The Riddle of the Sphinx,"
by H. A. Gibson, at 7:45 p.m. "The Earth's
Early Inhabitants," by Mrs. L. E. Giese, 13

THIRD- PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, COR.
Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject, "Christ on Forgiveness," evening,
"The Young Man's Glory." Seats free, 13

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Service's in Y.M.C.A. Hall. Rev. Dr. J. K. Fowler's morning sermon, "The Christian Countersign;" evening theme, "Does Irreligion Pay? If Not, Why Not?" 13 TRINITY M. E. CHURCH (SOUTH) ON Grand ave., between Eighth and Ninth sts.; services conducted by the pastor, J. J. W. Kenney, at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Excel-lent music. Come.

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Y.M.C.A.—THE 3 O'CLOCK MEETING TOday will be addressed by President G. W.
White of the University of Southern California. A special invitation is extended to
all young men. 13 all young men.

PREACHING BY B. F. COULTER AT THE Broadway Church of Christ, opposite the Courthouse, today at 11 a.m. and 7:45 p.m.; Sunday-school, 9:38 a.m.; young people meet at 6:39 p.m.

at 6:30 p.m. 20
L. A. CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST,
Kramer's Hall, 5th street, between Spring
and Main streets. Services 10:30 a.m. Subject "A Father's Instruction to His Son." 13
IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
cor. Tenth and Pearl. Dr. Chichester will
preach at 11 a.m. Popular praise service in
the evening. Everybody welcome. 13

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KORESHAN UNITY, MATERIALIZATION, divine and demoniac; hear Dr. Marcus G. Cannon this afternoon, 2:30, Caledonia Hall, 119½ S. Spring st.; seats free. 13

J. C. KEITH WILL PREACH AT THE Broadway Church of Christ, opp. Courthouse, today at 11 a.m., B. F. Coulter in the evening at 7:45 o'clock. 13 FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, FIGUE-roa and 20th sts. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Burt Estes Howard, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

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good, new stamp-mill, complete, to be
moved to the Randsburg district; have a
good millsite; plenty of water, and can
get contracts to work large shipments of
ore; this is a good opening, as lots of
money can be made; only a small sum
needed; none but principals need apply,
Address T, box 38, TIMES OFFICE. 13 WANTED-LADY FROM EAST AGE 28, capable business woman, energetic, bright, tactful and experienced: a money-maker; desires to meet gentleman or lady to whom thorough business qualities will be of service; excellent references. Address T, box 50, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED — PARTNER, GENTLEMAN OR lady, with \$2000, who wants a first-class business proposition; staple goods and no opposition. Address S, box 75, TIMES OFFICE. OFFICE. 13
WANTED-GOOD LIVE MAN AS PARTNER
in established real estate and loan business;
must be ready to pay what business is
worth. Address S, box 26, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — MUST HAVE A PARTNER AT once for ½ interest in creamery and poultry business; come and investigate. SNOVER & RODMAN, 206½ S. Broadway. 13

WANTED—SHOE MAN OR SHOEMAKER with some money. Advertiser will put up ½ to open up a small shoe store. Address G. W., Times Office, Pasadena. 13

WANTED—Seco. WILL, BLIV. 4, INTEREST. G. w., Times Omec, Pasadena. 13
WANTED-\$500 WILL BUY \(\frac{1}{2} \) INTEREST
in refined business, worth \$2000; will teach
business; rare opportunity. Address R, box
17, TIMES OFFICE. 13 II, TIMES OFFICE. 13
VANTED — GERMAN BUTCHER, WELL acquainted in town Wants a new Well

acquainted in town, wants a partner with \$1500, to establish wholesale butchery and sausage factory. 13
WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER as partner in a good business for Pasadena.
Call Monday at 4 p.m., 149 s. BROADWAY,
second floor.

WANTED-PARTNER TO SOW 1100 ACRES

BLOCK.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER to take ½ interest in an established business. Address T, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. WANTED-PARTNER; SALESMAN WITH

city reference; no money required. dress T, box 63, TIMES OFFICE. WANTED - PARTY TO TAKE 1/2 OF freight-car to Denver. BOX 1, Station K,

WANTED-READ MINING PROPOSITION

WANTED-AGENTS AND SOLICITORS-

A GOOD THING.

To "hustler," who can get ads. for only pullication of the kind in California; 5000 to 7000 circulation; good contract; lady or get tleman; state past experience and reference. Address T, box 30, TIMES OFFICE

WANTED—WELL-DRESSED GENTLEMAN and ladies to sell Christmas books, complete stock, juveniles, kindergarten maps, sets of standard authors, on small monthly payments; good commissions paid; steady employment. Call from 3 to 12 a.m., L. BEHRMER, publisher's agent, 257 S. Broadway. Tel. main 748

WANTED-AGENTS MAKE \$6 TO \$13 A
day introducing the "Comet," the only \$1
snap-shot camera made; the greatest seller
of the century; general and local agents
wanted all over the world; exclusive territory; write today for terms and samples.
AIKEN-GLEASON CO., X-18, La Crosse,
Wis.

Wis.

WANTED — THREE LADY AGENTS TO sell rapid-selling Christmas novelties on commission; active agents can make big money; call Monday, CALIFORNIA NOV-ELTY AND MFG. CO., 124½ S. Spring st., wanted—Agents; Eastern Manu-facturer of stable merchandise wants active reliable man in each district in Southern California; \$10, and references needed. Ad-dress U, boy 3, TIMES OFFICE. 13 Wanted—Agents, Both Sexes, Coin money selling our watches and jewelry; samples free to right parties; price list and particulars for stamp. FRETER & CO., 10 Henrietta bldg., Chicago.

WANTED — REAL LIVE AGENTS TO CANvass for a good paying article, both ladies
and gentlemen. Call at ROOM 2, 320% 8.
Broadway, Monday, 2 p.m., sharp. 13

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO CANvas for rapid-selling books; salary \$50
per month. Call room 11, THE ELLIS, 1
to 3 p.m.

WANTED-

WANTED — HOME IN PRIVATE CHRIS-tian family for widow and 2 children, boy 12 girl 9, lower floor and yard preferred, near school and car line. Address, with terms. E. H., 1801 lows st.

WANTED—SUNNY SUITE AND BOARD BY traveling man for wife and baby, south of Seventh and West of Main preferred; state terms and location, Address B, box S2, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HAVE YOU ANY BONEmeal fertilizer, hay, grain, coal, cords of
wood, fine surrey harness? If so, would
you exchange for carpets, fine new bleydle,
Frazier speeding cart, prettiest surrey horse
in town, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ buggy, nearly new, fine Lo.
Smith duck gun and waist boots; good
mare, safe for lady, Address \$\frac{1}{2}\$ box \$\frac{1}{2}\$,
TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—25 TO 30 HORSE-POWER
boller, with feed pump; one 10 and one lihorse power engine (prefer vertical;) rock
breaker (about \$\frac{1}{2}\$ in \$\frac{1}{2}\$ in \$\frac{1}{2}\$ dick
worthington or other good pump; 4 to deinch well drill; any or all of the above
must be in first-class condition and cheap,
address \$\frac{1}{2}\$ box \$\frac{1}{2}\$, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WALNUT OR ORANGE GROVE

Address S, box 89, TIMES OFFICE. 15
WANTED—WALNUT OR ORANGE GROVE
for 160 acres clear land, value 440 acre, about
14 miles Seattle, Wash., containing about
5,000,000 feet saw timber; situated mile railroad, ½ mile Gilman coal mine. Address
WEST COAST FERTMLIZER WORKS, 237
W. First st.
13
WANTED — LODGING-HOUSE; HAVE A
customer for something well located, fair
rent and reasonable price; send full description, location and price. F. J. CRESSEY, real estate agent, room 18, Potomac
Block.

way.

WANTED — PURCHASER FOR A GOOD
new stock of groceries, well located and doing a good business; also real estate for
a good stock of boots and shoes. A. L.
AUSTIN, 137 S. Broadway.

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WANTED - TO PURCHASE GOOD IM-proved or unimproved city property, part cash, balance in good country property; give particulars and price. Address 8, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

BY PARTICULARS AND Price. Address S, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WE HAVE A GOOD CASH CUStomer for a house southwest; it must be modern and the price must be right, then we can sell it for you. S. P. CREASINGER, 247 S. Broadway,

WANTED — SMALL RANCH, BEARING income, near Los Angeles; will give part cash and part Chicago property, \$3000 Address J. O. T., 4725 ASHLAND AVE., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED — LAND FOR \$2000, SUITABLE for fruit ranch; send accurate account of location, soil, exposure, water, title, etc.; state lowest cash price. Address S, box 94, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED-DESIRABLE RESIDENCE LOT IS anta Monica for cash and a very fine speedy driver, sure to make a race borse if triained. Address S, box 45, TIMES OF-FICE.

WANTED — A HOME SOUTHWEST AND give improved ranch property clear for equity, and assume to the amount of \$2000.

MARTIN & KURTZ, room 228, Byrne Bldg, 13 WANTED-CHEAP FOR CASH, 2 ROLL-top desk and 1 good second-hand kitchen range, with water back. J. FRANK BOW-EN CO., 2014 S. Broadway, room 215. 13 EN CO., 204½ S. Broadway, room 215. 13
WANTED-YOU CAN HAVE YOUR WALL
paper hung by the best artists in their line,
in the city, at the lowest prices. GOODWIN BROS., 390 Los Angeles st. 13
WANTED-DESIRABLE RESIDENCE LOT
in the Harper school district for cash, must
be cheap, give size, price and location. Adtress S, box 44, TIMES OFFICE. 13

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WANTED—A MODERN HOUSE OF 5 OR
6 rooms, not far out, for all cash, \$2000 or
less, must be a bargain. WELLS & EAKINS, 338 S. Broadway. 13

WANTED — LIGHT WAGON, GOOD REpair, with or without top, for peddling
purposes. BUTCHER SHOP, D st., cor.
Pico, Pico, Pico Heights. 13 Pico, Pico Heights. 13

WANTED -- FIRST-CLASS PIANO; STATE
condition, maker's name, where it can be
seen and best cash price. Address R, box
72, TIMES OFFICE. 13

Reen and oest cash pice. Address R, box. 72, TIMES OFFICE. 13

WANTED—TO BUY AN INTEREST IN A 2 or 3-chair barber shop or a whole of same; no objection to the country. Address R, box 73, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—LARGE LOT AND COTTAGE, west of Main and south of First sts., on monthly payments. Address T, box 69, TIMES OFFICE. 13

WANTED—A LADY:S BICYCLE, MUST BE up-to-date wheel, good make, condition and cheap. Apply with wheel to 914 W. TENTH ST., Sunday. 13

ST., Sunday.

WANTED-200 GOOD LAYING HENS IN large ar small lots; give full description, age and price. W. M. NORTHRUP, San Gabriel, Cal. WANTED-A SMALL RANCH AND GIVE as part payment a livery business centrally located. MARTIN & KURTZ, room 228, Byrne Bldg. 13

Byrne Bldg. 13

WANTED— 2 HANDSOME PARLOR RUGS.
sizes about 8x3 and 9x10 feet; also 2 nice bedroom tables. MRS. ADAMS, 1918 Estrella ave.

WANTED— WE HAVE A CASH PURchaser for house and lot in the Harper tract. GOWEN, EBERLE & CO., 147 S. Broadway.

WANTED— PUG DOG. MALE, BETWEEN 2 and 8 months old; must have good points. Apply room 535, BRADBURY BLOCK.

BLOCK.

WANTED — A LODGING-HOUSE, WORTH
\$1000; will give in exchange for clear land
with water. Room 332, BRADBURY
BLDG.

WANTED—FOR CASH, A SECOND-HAND
Standard wagon scale, 7 to 10 tons; good
order. A. B. GRUPE, 115 W. First st. 14 order. A. B. GRUPE, 115 W. First st. 14
WANTED—PARTIES WISHING TO BORand on Southwest improved property.
Apply room 408, BULLARD BLOCK. 13
WANTED—100-ACRE RANCH. PART ALfalfa; must have good water-right. J. M.
TAYLOR & CO., 102 Broadway. 13

WANTED-TO BUY PHAETON, BUGGY or surry. W. A. MORGAN, B st., between Ninth and 10th, Pico Heights. 13 WANTED-A GOOD STAMP COLLECTION or stamps from old corresponds. box 2. TIMES OFFICE. WANTED-AN EXTENSION TABLE, ALSO some china; must be cheap. Address T, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 13
WANTED-SECOND HAND PLATFORM scales. Address, stating make and price. S, box 73, TIMES OFFICE. 12 WANTED-FOR CASH, BARGAINS IN VA-cant lots or houses. JOHN L. PAVKO-VICH, 220 W. First st. 14 WANTED-GOOD, YOUNG HORSE, TWO-seated light spring; must be a barguin 1409 W. 11TH ST. 1409 W. 11TH ST. 13
WANTED-FOR CASH OR PART CASH, cheap lot in the hills. Address S, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 14

TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—REFRIGERATOR. COUNTERS, shelving, showcases, etc. 262 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED—SMALL MODERN HOUSE ON installments. Address R, box 89, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO. WANTED-TO PURCHASE A SURVEY-or's transit. Address J, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. WANTED - REAL ESTATE. WILDE & STRONG, 228 W. Fourth; want your bar-WANTED-IRISH OR GORDON SETTER pup; must be cheap. Address 236 W. 31ST ST. WANTED-SECOND-HAND OFFICE RAIL-ings. 212 CURRIER BLDG. 13

To Rent.

INQUIRIES BY THE HUNDREDS. RECOGNIZED RENTAL CENTER.

IF YOU HAVE ANY HOUSES FOR RENT YOU CAN'T DO WITHOUT US. SPECIAL COLLECTION DEPARTMENT. EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., Cor. Second and Broadway.

GILBERT S. WRIGHT,
Manager Rental Department. 13 WANTED — FIRNISHED DWELLINGS to rent; have several good customers waiting to locate; send full description location and price. F. J. CRESSEY, real estate agent, room 18, Potomac Block. 13
WANTED—TO RENT, 5 TO 20 ACRES OF land, with house and barn on, 8 miles within city limits, with patch of affalfat frossible. Address S, box 87, TIMES OFFICE

WANTED — HOUSE IN PICO HEIGHTS with barn; price not to exceed \$6 per month; close to car line. Address T, box \$64, TIMES OFFICE. 13

WANTED—TO RENT A ROOM FOR \$A-doen in good location: state particulars. Address R, box \$6, TIMES OFFICE. 15 WANTED-TO RENT, 5 OR 6-ROOM COT-tage, with bath; must be cheap. Address S, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 13

VANTED-RELIABLE TENANTS TO lease any portion of 3000 acres of excellent grain land at Chino. Apply to EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., Chino, Cal. 13

WANTED—TO FIGURE ON YOUR CARpenter work; prices low, work good; I
will draft your building free of charge or
will compete with architects; would take
some trade. Address 251 E. FIFTH ST. 13
WANTED—MINERS TO SEE OUR NEW
improved gasoline and distillate engines;
best power for the desert. LOS ANGELES
WINDMILL CO., 223 E. Fourth st. 13
WANTED—HORRE AND BUGGY FOR A
month or less for the keeping; light work
and good care; references given. Address
O, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 13
WANTED—CONCRETE WORK IN EXchange for sewing machine. Call between
1 and 3, A. C. SMITH, Nolan & Smith
bldg., room 304. 13
WANTED—A YOUNG LADY BOARDER,
very reasonable rates, in small pivtate family in Bonnie Brae. Address S, box 34,
TIMES OFFICE. 13 WANTED — A HOUSE TO TAKE CARE OF for rent, by man and wife, lately from the East; references. Address 409 E. FIFTH ST., room 58. 2 WATCHES CLEANDE 75c; MAIN SPRING 50c; crystals 10c; small and large clocks cleaned, 35c and 75c. PATTON, 214 3 WANTED CHARD.

WANTED—GENTLEMAN TO SHARE OF-fice in pleasant rooms; centrally located; cheap. Address S, box 6, TIMES OF-FICE. WANTED—HORSE AND BUGGY; WILL give the same good care and pay small rent. Address S, box 85, TIMES OFFICE. 13 WANTED-TO SELL ORCHARD AT GLEN-dale; will take ½ eastern property. Ad-dress R, box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 13.

WANTED - BUTCHER TO START MEAT market; good location; cheap rent to right parties. 1104 E. SEVENTH. 13.

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WANTED—TO GIVE IN EXCHANGE FOR meals, plano instruction. Address U, box 4, TIMES OFFICE. 13

WANTED — SMALL BARN TO BE MOVED: state price and location. Address O, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 14

WANTED—YOU TO SEE THE GOODWIN BROS. about paper and hanging. 390 LOS ANGELES ST. 13

WANTED—BARN ROOM FOR HORSE AND buggy, close in. Address S, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 13

FOR SALE—AND EXCHANGE—

EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,

N.E. cor. Second and Broadway.

No. 336—\$800—Vacant lot on Clinton ave.,

½ block from car line; no payment down if
you wish to build.

No. 223—\$400—Vacant lot, 50x150, corner
lot, Shelby and Congress sts.; no payment
down if you wish to build.

No. 237—3 vacant lots on W. Adams st.,

60x170 each, 320 per loot; no payment down
if rose, and to the congress of the corner
for house and lot in Los Angeles or good
improved ranch, close in; owner will divide lots and assume; it will pay you to
look this up.

No. 76—14 vacant lots in Grand Rapids.

Mich.; want house and lot in Los Angeles;

will assume \$1000.

No. 272—Lincoln, Neb., vacant lot, \$3000;
close in, no mortgage; owner is here and
wants to stay; want house and lot and is
willing to assume from \$1000 to \$2000.

No. 353—22th st., 5-room cottage, bath,
barn, fruit trees, flowers and lawn; now
rented for \$20 month; owner wants house
and lot north of 28th, to value of \$1500.

No. 345—\$1500—5-room modern house and 2
lots, 50x140 each, 30 fruit trees, chicken-house
and barn; 1 block east of Vermont ave., on
Galicia st.; want house and lot on City
View st.; lot 56x150; 5 rooms, barn, fruit
trees, lawn, and flowers; mortgage \$400;
want ranch, not too far out; will assume a
little.

No. 32—\$2000—House and lot on City
View st.; lot 56x150; 5 rooms, barn, fruit
trees, lawn, and flowers; mortgage \$400;
want ranch, not too far out; will assume.

No. 304—\$9000—Chicago house and lot, 9
rooms, all modern, brick house; no mortgage; owner wants good ranch within 50

No. 350—\$600—1 acre first-class soil set to
apricots, 15 years old; water deeded with
the land; f miles from Los Angeles on
Santa Monica electric line; want house and
lot east of Main and south of Adams to
value of \$1500; will assume \$1000 if property
is O K.

No. 321—\$4000—2695 Orchard ave., 7-room
modern house, east front, near car line;
lawn, shade, flowers, cement walks; one of
the finest homes for the money in the city;
the owner packing his household goods

to \$1000 to handle this bargain; this is a snap for some one. No. 231—\$10,000—10 acres, warm, sandy loam, favorably situated, near Glendale, 5 acres Eureka lemons, 5 acres navel oranges, all in bearing and paying good income; 30 shares water; under pressure, 4 hydrants, good schools, churches, etc., convenient; high state of cultivation; want Los Angeles property. property.

No. 318-\$1500-15 acres, South Ontario; first-class soil; want house and lot in Los Angeles from 31500 to \$2500; will assume from \$500 to \$1000.

No. 357-\$1600-In Antelope Valley, 5 miles from Langaster, 160 acres, clear, all tillable, good adobe house, 1 large room, whitewashed and comfortable; 30 acres plowed, washed and comfortable; 30 acres plowed.

good well; in artesian belt, two 5-inch wells can be put down to flowing water for \$50: a splendid chance to go from town to country; will take Los Angeles improved or vacant; will not assume.

Our exchange list complete; we have some fine ranches and city property; we have fine eastern improved and vacant for Las Angeles or country property; it will pay you to call on us before you buy or exchange to we are sole agents for all property listed on our books.

EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., N.E. cor Second and Broadway. FOR SALE- CHEAP CHRISTMAS PRES-

-ents for sale by-RICHARD ALTSCHUL, RICHARD ALTSCHUL,

408 S. Broadway.

\$150-Sacramento st., Forter & Garbolino
tract, near car line.

\$175-East Los Angeles near Kuhrtz-st.

bridge; within S. P. Call lines.

\$240-Woollacott tract, near First st car
line. 24x150 to alley; street graded.

\$300-Twelfth st. near Central ave., 25x120
to alley; \$15 cash, \$10 month, no interest.

\$400-Twelfth st., bet. Georgia Bell and
Sentous, 25 feet.

\$425-Large lot near iron rolling mills, on
Short st., a great bargain.

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Short st., a great bargain.

\$425-Lot ot 25th st., bet. Maple ave. and
San Pedro st., cheapest lot in town.

\$500-Adams-st. tract, 27th st. near Central
ave.; adjoins pretty dwelling.

\$500-Umstoa tract, Bryant st. near Yermont ave.; make offer.

\$600-Bayram st., bet 10th and 11 th sts. \$500—Small house, 3 rooms, 14th st. near Tennessee.
\$600—Byram st. bet 10th and 11 th sts. \$650—Cheapest tot, Williamson tract, Girard st.; street graded and sewered.
\$750—Santee st., one or two lots, bet. 21st and 22d sts.; easy terms.
\$750—Girard st., best lot between Vernon and Sentous st.; street work paid.
\$800—Central ava., bet. Seventh and Bighth sts., 40x130; or two lots same price.
\$900—Maple ave., 47-foot lot, near Pico st., \$950—Maple ave., 47-foot lot, near Pico st., \$950—Maple ave., next to corner of 11th, 40x150; as nap.

sts., 40x130; or two lots same price.

3900—Maple ave, 47-foot lot, near Pico st.

3950—Maple ave, 47-foot lot, near Pico st.

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3950—Maple ave, 19 next to corner of 11th,

40x150; a snap.

31100—30th st., 19st east of Hoover st.

1200—28th st., bet. Grand ave. and Figueroa st.; among the 400.

1250—4-room modern cottage, Bryant st.,

southwest; 4400 cash, balance to suit.

151500—5-room cottage, and st. Los Angelea;

excellent value; must sell.

25000—6-room cottage, eor. Georgia Bell and 17th sts.; very pretty.

34200—Best 2-story modern 8-room house,

well located; elegantly furnished.

For this or any other property you may

want, call on

RICHARD ALTSCHUL,

408 S. Broadway,

Chamber of Commerce Bidg.

P. S.—Money to loan, 56000, 32000, 31500, on first-class city property.

FOR SALE — FOR A SHORT TIME WE will make special inducements to buyers of lots in the Wilshire Boulevard tract, lying just west of Westlake Park, is admitted by all to be the finest property on the market; lying between west Park on the wast, with the Wilshire boulevard, 120 feet wile, Funning through center of tract, connecting the two parks; lots and houses for sale on easy terms.

FOR SALE— 125 WILL BUY A LOT AND 3
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FOR SALE-City Lots and Land

\$650—One of the finest large lots on bear tiful Pasadena ave.; very choice location. \$700—The only lot on N. Workman st 50x165, between good houses.

\$2250-Fine lot on Flower st., north \$425—Choice lot, 50x150; on Denver ave, clock west of Alvarado, between 16th and 7th sis.

\$5500—9-room cottage on corner lot, 65x 180; large barn; this is new and simply ele-

-13 acres good land, with water, from depot at Vineland; do you wa

NEISWENDER & LOCKHART, 213 W. First s \$800—FOR SALE— A VERY DESIRABLE corner lot on 14th st., a little west of Pearl and only 1 block from 2 electric lines; price only 8800 it sold at once. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

and only I olock from 2 electric lines; price only \$300 if solid at once, NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

\$1800-FOR SALE— A VERY FINE CORner lot a little this side of Westlake Park, surrounded by elegant homes; price \$1500 for a few days, but actually worth \$2500. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

\$1400-FOR SALE— ONE OF THE MOST desirable lots in Bonnie Brae tract on Westlake ave.; price \$1400. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

\$1250-FOR SALE— A VERY FINE RESILANCE, with the finest kind of improvements adjoining; price for a few days, only \$1250. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second, \$1250-FOR SALE—LOT 50x167 ON PEARL near Eighth; price only \$2700. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second, \$350-FOR SALE—LOT 50x167 ON PEARL near Eighth; price only \$2700. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second, \$350-FOR SALE—LARGE BUILDING LOT on south side of 30th a little west of Hoover; priver \$500; close to electric line. NOLAN & SMITH \$2500.

on south side of 30th a little west of Hoover; price \$650; close to electric line. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second. 12000—FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL LOT IN the Harper tract, 70x150; price \$2000. NO-LAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second.

\$290—On Pico Heights, one of the best-ocated lots, near car line.

\$500—Fine building lots on improved street, Angeleno Heights, fine view.

\$2000—A lovely home on Adams st., near Maple ave.; 7 good-sized rooms and bath; "look this up."

"look this up."

\$3000—A bargain in a fine house on Ma-ple ave., 7-room, modern house, barn, lot 60x132, near 13th st S. K. LINDLEY or F. B. BLISH, 106 S. Broadway

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FOR SALE—SNAPS, CITY LOTS.

\$725—Girard st. near Sentous, 50x150.

\$750—W. 16th st., near Albany, S. side,
5x175.

\$750-W. 16th st., near Albany, S. side, 53x175.

\$220-E st., near 12th, Pico Heights. \$750-Near Temple st., and only 6 blocks from Courthouse; improvements complete. \$450-41th st., near San Pedro., \$600-38th st., near Second. \$1500-Alvarado st., near Ninth, 50x150. \$750-Flower st., near Ninth, 50x150. \$750-Flower st., near Second. \$500-N.W. cor. Lopez and New Jersey. \$700-Central ave., bet. Fifth and Sixth, \$1000-Temple st., near Pearl, 52x120. \$2500-Flower st., beauty, 50x150. \$2500-Flower st., beauty, 50x150. \$750-San Joaquin near Sixth st. Also large list of lots in all parts of the city on terms to suit.

JOHN L. PAYKOVICH, 13

220 W. First st.

FOR SALE-GOOD LOTS-

\$300—2 fine lots southwest, \$10 down, \$10 per month, no interest; if this don't suit you come in and make an offer; must be sold.

\$650-Lot 50x120; Vernon st., sewered, graded; bargain. \$800-Awfully cheap, lot on Ingraham st.

\$350-Lot 50x137, near Vermont, between We will build you a home on any of these lots and you need pay only a small

CORTELYOU & GIFFEN, 404 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — NOW IS THE ACCEPTED time to get in on the ground floor of Clark & Bryan's Figueroa-st. tract; a number of fine improvements are now under consideration, which, in addition to those already on the tract, will materially add to the value of the property; this is the only tract in the city where the value of the improvements must exceed \$2000 per lot; lots that are now selling for \$1000 will soon be worth 50 per cent. more money. CLARK & BRYAN, 127 W. Third st.

\$25 CASH; \$10 PHR MONTH. Choice lots on 23d steall within 1 block of electric car line; c an side of street; they are the best lots or the money to be had in the city; just 5 in the block, so make your selection settle. make your selection early.

W. J. SCHERER CO.,
227 W. Second st.
Branch office S. W. or. Adams and Central ave.

FOR SALE—MAIL ST. IS NOW BEING electrized, and wate the work is being pushed to completion it will pay you to get in on the ground floor and buy one of those elegant lots in our Figueros st. tract, corner Jefferson and Figueros ats.; for a short time the price will be only \$1000 a lot. CLARK & BRYAN, 127 W. Third st. 13

FOR SALE—BARGAINS—
50x160 to made alley, West Beacon, \$1400.
50x160 to alley, Bush, opposite 18th, \$800.
The northeast corner 21st and Grand ave,
fine for business or glit-edge residence and cheap.
50x194, on Ocean View ave., near Alvarado st., only \$1100; sewered, etc.
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Lot on Girard st. near Union ave., \$650.
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For \$1000 you can get the best foundation
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Stranger, that oak tree, with its accompanying grove, is worth many good gold dollars; if you get them for \$10,000 you are getting more than your money is worth. The oranges now on the trees are worth a good thousand, and can be sold for that any day, to say nothing about the lemons, olives, etc., etc., a fine water right and small reservoir on the place; location of entire tract only 2½ miles northeast of Pomona and 1½ miles southwest of Clarmont, the college town. Say, come out and look over this place, if you are looking for a good income-producipe place. It is now just coming into good sone to do things that in more sober moments one would never do. Now, we have a man in our community that came from Mississippi, and he is everlastingly homesick. He bought a good orange orchard in one of our best neighborhoods, only 1½ miles northeast of Pomona, for \$7500, spot cash; but money is no object to him in this state of mind, and \$250 will get a good deed for the property, including the present crop of oranges, balance lemons, prunes, apricots, etc., good house, 7 rooms, pantry, bath. closets, cellar and barn, etc. Don't fail.

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fruit land, close to Ontario, for \$20 per acre;
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23 ACRES 1 MILE FROM DOWNEY.
2 acres to bearing fruits; 25 bearing softshell walnut trees; 4 acres to alfalfa; 8
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if you want a bargain in a country home,
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Suitable for corn or alfalfa, near Santa
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\$350.0—2 new 7-room houses; rent \$40.

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We have the finest home in the beautiful Harper tract; large grounds, corner lot; can be had at a bargain; if looking for a nice home, see this property.

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Only \$15:00—A new 5-room modern cottage.
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We can sell you a modern 5-room cottage
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15 acres near Azuss
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for crop now on tree FOR SALE—ACRES—

15 acres near Azusa, 10 acres to Washington naval oranges, 5 years old; \$1000 offered for crop now on trees; private water right with place; water piped to house and barn; 5 room hard-finished rouse, good barn; this sone of the finest h. me places near the foothills, and can be bought right. See me for praticulars.

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HOUSES ON INSTALLMENTS.
\$500—4-room house, East Low Angeles.
\$1250—New 4-room modern cottages, clos-

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FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, MONDAY, DEC.
28, Il a.m., at the Broadway entrance to the
Courthouse, by order of the Public Administrator, to close an estate, a lovely little
home, corner 59x150, with nice 5-room cottage; also a good 2-room cottage, all on the
same lot; S.E. corner of 29th and Maple
ave.; lovely grounds, lot all fenced; 2 large
walnut trees, other fruit in abundance;
street all sewered, graded, curbed and sidesame lot; a perfect little home, and must be
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M. KELSEY, Public Administrator, Third
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alone; title perfect and guaranteed; this is
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FOR SALE—JUST FINISHED, 6 OF THE
best built and prettlest 9-room houses in
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open all day for inspection; owner lives opposite; location of houses Bonnie Brae st,
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china closets, bookoases built in, nice cellar
with cement floor; attle flored; cement
walks; lot 50x150 ft. to alley; they are for
sale; make us an offer; no reasonable one
refused. Call early and select one; remember, this may be your last tchance to
get the best.

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION MONDAY, DEC.
28, II a.m., at Broadway entrance to Courthouse, by order of the Public Administrator.

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION MONDAY, DEC. 23, 11 a.m., at Broadway entrance to Courthouse, by order of the Public Administrator, to close an estate, 3 lots and 2 houses near East Side Park; one on Main st., one on Johnston and one on Hancock; all desirable; see signs on property; must be sold; be sure Gand see this property; also one on 29th and Maple, advertised elsewhere. For full data see FRANK M. KELSEY, Public Administrator. Third near Broadway, or BEN E. WARD, auctioneer, 123 W. Third st. 13-29 FOR SALE—NEW HOUSE AT COST; WE have for sale a modern 9-room house, just completed, on Wilshire Boulevard tract, west of Westlake Park; the house has all conveniences; plate glass, porcelain tub. FOR SALE—NEW HOUSE AT COST; WE have for sale a modern 9-room house, just completed, on Wilshire Boulevard tract, west of Westlake Park; the house has all conveniences; plate glass, porcelain tub, frescoed, etc.; we built it not sell at a profit, but to improve the adjoining lots; here is your chance to buy a new house without paying a builder's profit; we will sell on a small payment down and balance on monthly installments. WILSHIRE CO., 658 S. Broadway, and on the tract.

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\$1950—House of 5 rooms, barn, etc., Byram
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\$3500—3 houses and lots, run through from
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at a sacrifice; that fine new cottage between Westlake Park and city, finished
in white pine throughout, nice mantel,
sideboard with plate mirror, porcelain bath,
polished floors, plate and leaded glass in
front, cellar bricked up and cemented, 12x
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Large and well-built Second cottage on

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FOR SALE — A BEAUTIFUL 10-ROOM residence with all modern conveniences, situated corner lot on W. 23d st.; flowers, tine lawn, etc.; all street improvements made: this fine home can be bought for one-half its value, as owner is bound to sell, being a non-resident. W. H. ALLEN, 125/2 W. Third.

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on W. Adams st.; 2½ acres of ground with
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6-room cottage home in Southern California, exciden some in Southern California, exciden the erection of this home; sedden summons to England my reason for selling; cheap and easy terms; best neighborhood for a home in Los Angeles. Call on OWNER, 2900 S. Flower.

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In walking distance 2 5-room modern cottages, complete in every respect; lots fenced and premises connected with sewer; small cash payment and balance on the installment plan. For orrither particulars and keys call at office EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., 121 S. Broadway.

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FOR SALE—STOP PAYING RENT—
Only \$10.20 per month, new 4-room cottages
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buy it; fine 7-room house in best neighborhood, near Figueros at. large of house,
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improved; complete the proper of house,
including horse.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL NEW 2-STORY,
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FOR SALE—6-ROOM HOUSE WITH BASEment for \$900, part time, near Temple st.
and Belmont ave.
Corner lot on San Pédro with large walnut
shade trees, fine for business or residence,
for sale. See owner. W. S. BRYANT.
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Cor. Ninth and San Pero.

FOR SALE—
Installments—\$2000, new house, close in,
\$150 cash, \$70 month.
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FOR SALE — HOUSE OF 5 ROOMS, BARN, ejc., on a large lot, with, fruit, flowers, well, windmill and tank; street graded and cement walks; close to the Traction street-car line, southwest; price \$1500; will sell or installment plan. M'GARVIN & BRON. 80N, 220½ S. Spring st. 12

installment plan. M'GARVIN & BRONSON, 220½ S. Spring st.

FOR SALE — BY OWNER, HOUSE OF 5
large rooms, fine location, cement sidewalk,
etc., lot 50x135; fine variety of bearing
fruit trees and choice flowers; all under
fence and free from incumbrance, furniture
included if sold at once, for \$1250. Address
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FOR SALE—6-ROOM HOUSE, SOUTHWEST;
50-foot lot, flowers, etc.; also another lot
close by, all near Washington and Hoover;
this property belongs to an estate, and
must be sold at once; bids will be received
Monday and Tuesday. L. H. MITCHEL, 136
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new strictly-up-to-date 5-room cottage, all
improvements in and paid for; location

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FOR SALE—FINE RESIDENCE ON FIGueroa street, by owner; contains 12 large
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\$50 DOWN,

\$900 will buy good house, hard-finished,
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FOR SALE—FINE LOCATION ON FIGueroa st., house 8 rooms, large lot, highly
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2914 FIGUEROA ST.

FOR SALE—A 7-ROOM COTTAGE, BATH,
patent water closet mantel, marble-top
washstand, stone walks, street graded; \$50
cash, balance \$29 monthly; no interest; 36th
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FOR SALE — AN ELEGANT NEW 10-ROOM residence, strictly modern, large lot, good location; price \$5500; will take good street or irrigation bonds, or a cheaper place in part payment. JOHNSON & KEENEY CO., 104 S. Broadway. 13.

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FOR SALE — BARGAINS; SOUTHWEST; and 6-room cottages with full-size lots, \$700
\$950, \$1300, \$1700, \$2000; one block of street
car; on installments. HILL & THURSTON
office University Station, on Vermont ave. 12

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FOR SALE — \$1400; HANDSOME 5-ROOM
colonial cottage with 3 lots, comprising %
of an acre, 1 block from Central-ave. car
line; a genuine snap: 10 per cent. off for
cash. Address S, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 15 FOR SALE — ELEGANT, NEARLY NEW
S-room, 2-story colonial; barn, fences,
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WANTED — WATCHES CLEANED 75:
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FOR EXCHANGE - \$4000; 8-room, 2-story home, southwest; want land to the value

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\$6500—30 acres fine land on Adams st., will double in 2 years; want good residence. We can match you on any reasonable exchange; we have California for eastern; see us before making a deal.

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Elegant cottage, Pasadena, valued \$2500 and \$3000 or so in money, for alfalfa ranch within 10 miles of Los Angeles.

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2 alfalfa ranches for city property.

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\$4500-Modern 7-room house on \$\frac{1}{2}\$ acres, 3 miles from center, southwest, for city property, cottage preferred; this is a fine piece of property and will make 12 good lots; car line will soon pass.

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\$3000-Pipe, piece acreage on Western avenue for vacast city lots or small cottage.

\$1,0006-Beautitul home on Figueroa st. for cottages, acreage close to city, vacant lot and assuming \$1200.

\$2200-Large 7-room cottage, southwest, for vacant lot and assuming \$1200.

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\$500—Clear Los Angeles city property and acreage to exchange for small ranch near by.
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\$15,000—Brick block; want building near river station and land.
\$4000—Fine home, Westlake Park; want lot and cash.
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\$4000—Elègant new 6-room cottage; large barn; corner lot, 94x150 to alley; in south west; will trade for house north of Downey ave, in East Los Angeles, or vacant lots and some cash.

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Have you got what I am looking for, a
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I've got a corner lot worth \$400 and will pay
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\$1500-A fine rancho of 10 acres and 10 shares of water, near Burbank, to bearing peaches, 3 years old; want home in city; will assume \$500 or \$600.

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FOR EXCHANGE—COTTAGE OF 6 ROOMS, bath, etc., on good lot; street graded, curbed, sidewalked and sewered; close to 3 street-car lines, in the southwest part of city; want a piace in or near the city, or 5 or 6 lots, corner preferred, with good 6 to 8-room house and barn; will put in some cash if necessary. M'GARVIN & BRON, 500%, S. Spring st.

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with electric lighting and all modern conveniences; barn, well, windmill, fruit,
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A well-located and paying saloon, all
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4 lots, fox150 each.
One 8-room 2-story house.
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2 lots, 50x165 each.

One 5-room house and bath; good stable; good street.

32 lots, 50x165 each.

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FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES GOOD FARM ing land, 1,500,000 feet of timber, house and some improvements, 12 acres clear, value \$1600—in State of Washington, for acreage near Los Angeles. JOHN CORNELSON, general delivery, Los Angeles. Cal. 13

FOR EXCHANGE—100 ACRES CLOSE TO Redlands, about 25 acres tillable, balance chill land, and some cash, for atock of merchandise or will put in good city lots for a general stock of merchandise. M'GARVIN & BRONSON, 22

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FOR EXCHANGE — PASADENA HOUSE and lot, rented for \$12, on Fair Oaks near car barn, for house and lot in this city, and assume small incumbrance. PRAGER & TREOSTI, 102 Market st. 12

FOR EXCHANGE—HOUSE AND LOT. 40x80, with 24 rooms, 326 N. Hill st. near Temple, for business property in San Francisco of vicinity. Apply J. NEWMAN, 35 New Monte st., San Francisco.

FOR EXCHANGE—7-ROOM HOUSE, CLOSE in, well rented; \$2750, mortgage \$1250; will take eastern clear property and \$250 cash for equity. POINDEXTER & WADSWORTH, 308 Wilcox Bidg. 18

FOR EXCHANGE—A NICE BLOCK OF 10 acres at San Diego city, overlooks city and bay, and clear of incumbrance; want small ranch near Los Angeles. D. W. ELDRED, Pico Heights Station. 13.

FOR EXCHANGE— \$1500; GREAT SNAP for few days, 10 acres at Rialto, set to prunes and oranges, 5 years old; want house and lot or business. Address R, box 85 TIMES OFFICE. 13

FOR EXCHANGE—150 ACRES NEAR RIVeride for house inside 10th st., assume mortgage. 211 STIMSON BLOCK. 13

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES; SS.

Personally appeared before me, Harry Chandler, superintendent of circulation of the Los Angeles Times, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that the foregoing is a correct exhibit of the circulation of the Los Angeles Times for the week ending December 12, 1896:

(Signed) HARRY CHANDLER. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of December, 1896.

(Seal) J. C. OLIVER, Notary Public in and for Los Angeles County,

Affidavit of the Pressman Affidavit of the Pressman.

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Personally appeared before me, George W. Crawford, foreman of the pressroom of the Los Angeles Times, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that the daily editions of The Times were as follows for the week ending December 12, 1896:
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Theory Developed by Which the Rays are Directed Upon the Sight Centers at the Posterior Part of the Brain.

Sight given to the blind by means of the X rays has been one of the pet dreams of physicians and oculists since the well-nigh miraculous possibilities of the great discovery of Prof. Roentgen have made themselves apparent to scientists. Experiments have been tried with varying success upon those deprived of sight, both in cases where the organs of vision are merely suffering from atrophy or paralysis, and in those where the eyeballs are completely destroyed.

Dr. F. E. Yoakum of this city holds the theory that the sight centers at the back of the brain may be so affected by means of the X rays that a deadened optic nerve will receive the impression of light, whether or not the eyeball still exists, by the application of the rays to the back of the head.

It was to test the truth of this theory

It was to test the truth of this theory that an interesting experiment was made last Friday evening at Dr. Yoakum's rooms in the Bradbury Block. Several physicians were present, and two bilind men, upon whom the experiments were tried. These were attended with but a moderate degree of success, but enough indications were developed to encourage Dr. Yoakum with the conviction that he is on the right track, and that further experiments may lead to a discovery that will restore sight to many an unfortunate apparently shut out forever from the light of day. "Blind John" Taylor was the first patient who was placed in the chair before the table which holds the wonderworking apparatus. Mr. Taylor lost his sight from an injury to the brain, received fourteen years ago. The eyeballs are uninjured, so that by vivifying the optic nerve sight might be restored.

An incandescent light was first-field close to the eyes of the blind man, and

tored.

An incandescent light was first held lose to the eyes of the blind man, and br. Yoakum asked:
"Now, John, can you see any light?"
"No, sir, I can't," was the emphatic

reply.

Dr. Yoakum turned out the light, leaving the operating room in total darkness. With a sharp whir, the little motor started, and a violet flame leaped across the spark gap between the terminal bulbs, while the Crookes tube war filled with the families. was filled with the familiar greenish

glare.

The fluoroscope was placed in the hands of Blind John, and the fluorescent surface of the shield guided close to the bulb of light. Dr. Yoakum asked if he saw anything, and he replied slowly:

plied, slowly:
"Yes, a kind of glare, just like looking through a fog." ne luminescence was then shut off, The luminescence was then shut off, and before the incandescent light was turned on. Taylor exclaimed that he saw a yellow light like a stat. The room was in total darkness, and some doubt was felt whether the tapcied light was all in the blind man's imagination or was a lingering effect of the luminescent glare seen through the fluoroscope.

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Ie was then turned around with his

ck to the apparatus, and the glim
ring bulb was put within an inch of

e back of his head. After a pause,

said, as if groping for adequate ex-"It is a yellow bright light all around like in a church. It is growing brighter all the time and it makes my brain feel

wound in the war, was next led to table and given the fluoroscope. Sallada has been in total darkness thirty-two years, both eyeballs b

entirely destroyed.

He faced the light in silence for a while, holding the fluoroscope tightly pressed over the poor blank eyescokets. When the machinery was stopped, and the patient was questioned concerning the effect, he answered, in a puzzled way, that he felt a kind of a glimmer, but no definite impression of light.

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As this was a test case to prove whether or not the excitation of the posterior of the brain could give any sensation of light, the Crookes tube was then placed almost against the back of Mr. Sallada's head, and held there for a longer time than in the case of Mr. Taylor.

No impression of light was given even by this close contact, but the patient described a burning sensation in the eye-sockets, thus proving to Dr. Yon-kum that the optic nerve was still intact and capable of impression in one way by the X rays.

Several experiments were then tried on persons possessed of sight, but blindfolded. Dr. Howerd was the first to test the effect of the rays as applied both to the covered eyes and to the back of the head, but could distinguish no light whatever. The experiment was repeated upon Maj. Nolan, who felt a sensation as of successive sparks before the left eye.

Dr. Yoakum proposes to continue his experiments upon the blind until he proves definitely whether or not his theory of the efficacy of the X rays as applied to the sight centers is a discovery capable of use by oculists. Tuesday and Friday evenings of each week will be spent with the blind, and upon these occasions his office will be thrown open to all blind people who wish to test the effect of the rays, and to oculists and physicians who are interested in the developing of this novel theory.

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A daring burglary was attempted on East Second street early this morning, but the burglar was captured and landed in the City Jail by Officer Hen-

The policeman was patrolling his beat The policeman was patrolling his beat on Los Angeles street, when his attention was attracted to a suspicious character. He watched him for a while and finally the fellow came up and told the officer that he had lost his partner and was waiting for him. He said he lived at Whittier, and owned a lemon ranch there. Henderson walked up the street after talking to the man for a few minutes, and he turned and started west utes, and he turned and started west on Second street. Henderson retraced his footsteps and followed the man. He

his footsteps and followed the man. He had not gone far when he heard a crash, and running in the direction from which it came he saw that a pane of glass had been broken in the ciothing and furnishing goods store at No. 118 East Second street.

Henderson called to a colored man who was passing and ordered him to stand guard while he went to the rear of the store, believing the burgiar would attempt to leave by the back door. He discovered that the door was locked, and then went to the front of the store again and climbed in through the broken window. Henderson lighted a candle and looked about, but could see no one. Then he proceeded to the rear of the store and saw the burgiar's feet



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sticking out from under a piece of canvas which hung like a curtain from the
ceiling. Covering the intruder with his
revolver, Henderson ordered him to
throw up his hands, and then marched
him out to the sidewalk, where he discovered that he was the man he had
previously talked to.

There the fellow remarked that he
wished the officer had blown his brains
out. A call was sent in for the patrol
wagon, and while the officer and his
prisoner were waiting for it, a man
came up and began talking familiarly
to the prisoner. Henderson decided to
place him under arrest on suspicion.
Both were sent to police headquarters,
where the burglar gave the name of
Jacob Jackson. The other man said
his name was John Graw. In Jackson's pockets was a quantity of neckties, suspenders and silk handkerchiefs.

Baseball.

Today's game of ball at Athletic Park will no doubt be a good one, as the teams as now arranged are very evenly matched. Decker and Whitehead two of the best men in the profession, have been added to the Tufts-Lyon Club. Phil Knell will be in the box for the Wilsons, supported by Whaling behind the bat. The game will be called at 2 p.m. sharp.

Dr. Robert Black, grand commander of the Knights Templar of the State of New York, died at his home in Brooklyn yesterday, aged

cluding fibraiel tumors, suppressed and painful menstruation, from any cause. painful menstruation, from any cause.
ELECTRIC TREATMENT A SPECIALTY; 25 years' practical experience.

DR. SOMERS'S Nervine and Blood Tonic cures nervous debility, dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaints, all female troubles caused from weakness and all diseases arising from impure blood. It strengthens the nerves, restores a torpid liver to its normal condition, gives tone to the stomach, produces a healthy appetite, sound digestion, regular stools, a clear skin, and a vigorous body and mind; costs only \$1.00 a bottle.

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The Greatest Values Ever Offered.

At \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 and \$15 per suit.

OUR REGULAR BEFORE-INVENTORY CLEARANCE SALE BEGINS

Tomorrow, Monday.

Never in the history of this Great Clothing Business has such decided price-cutting been made. We frankly admit we have taken extraordinary measures to make this sale A GREATER SUCCESS than last year, and to reduce stock before inventory. In order to do this successfully we realize the following features must be pre-eminent, viz:

> PRICES MUST BE VERY MUCH LOWER, QUALITIES MUST BE VERY MUCH BETTER, ASSORTMENTS MUST BE VERY MUCH LARGER.

And every suit must be made up in the most approved manner from durable up-to-date fabrics. Therefore, when we announce we will sell, Tomorrow, the Finest Custom-Tailored, Ready-to-Put-On Suits at

\$7.50 \$10.00 \$12.50 and \$15.00

We mean every word, and those who will look, will buy; NOT ONE, BUT TWO SUITS. THE VALUES are the GREATEST. OWING TO THE MANY unserved customers at Saturday's Special Sale; on account of many requesting a repetition of those SATURDAY BARGAIN OFFERINGS, and in order to please

SATURDAY'S BARGAIN SPECIALS

will be repeated TOMORROW only. Saturday's specials remain on display in windows until Monday night.

JACOBY BROS.,

128, 130, 132, 134, 136 and 138 N. Spring St.

Bargains in Toys...

Going Out of the Toy Business.

AFTER THIS SEASON WE WILL HANDLE NO TOYS.

For years we have beeen leaders in Toys in Los Angeles. Last year we did far and away the largest Toy business that ever was done here. We have the stock to do the business this year, and we will do it, but this will be our last year.

Our reasons are these: Our large and rapidly increasing Commercial Stationery Business demands our entire attention. This is our business twelve months in the year. This Toy business is for one month only. The Toy business takes valuable time and space which we want to devote to our regular business; hence we have decided to drop it.

We are not going to wait till after Christmas to offer bargains. We will give them to you now, just when you want to buy. Our regular prices are known to be as low as the lowest, but we will make them still lower by offering

A Discount of 20 per cent from the Market Prices on All Toys, Games, Albums and Christmas Cards.

Here Are Some of Our Prices; Everything Else in Proportion.

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The Control of the Co	
Iron Wagons, smallest, regular 90c size;	72c
Iron Wagons, largest, regular \$2.25 size; NOW	\$1.80
Velocipedes, smallest, regular \$2 size; NOW.	\$1.60
Velocipedes, largest, regular \$4 size; NOW	\$3.20
Tricycles, smallest, regular \$4 size;	\$3.20

Dolls, Doll's Furniture, Mechanical and Steam Toys, Iron Trains, Banks, Blocks and everything else in Toys at same dis-

Games.

-	Parchesi, regular \$1.00 size	80c
	Halma, regular \$1.00 size	80°
	Onipa, regular \$1.00 size NOW	80°
	Louisa, regular \$1.00 size NOW	80°
	Crokinole, regular \$8.50 size	
	Archarena, regular \$2.50 size	\$2.00
	Prisoner of Zenda, regular \$1.25 size NOW	\$1.00
	Waterloo, regular \$1.25 size NOW	\$1.00
1.	Wide World, regular \$1.50 size	\$1.20
В	All other games at same discount.	

These prices can be found only at

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Ladies' Furnishing Goods Store....

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as truthfully suggestive of the nature of the wares that the Establishment will

Everything necessary for the apparelling of Woman or Child; up-to-date in style and fashion, and above all POPULAR IN PRICE,

The management of "The Fashion" will be under the supervision of EVA HARTMAN, formerly of the People's Store.

Miss Hartman was for many years, and until very recently, at the head of the Kid Glove Department at A. Hamburger & Sons' People's Store, She desires to extend to all her former friends and patrons, and also all other ladies of Los Angeles and Southern California a cordial invitation to attend the Grand Opening of The Fashion, the exact date of which will be published in this paper.

KID GLOVES, CORSETS, HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR, FANCY WARES, FURNISHINGS.



251 South Broadway. . . in the Byrne Building,

fense Forces a Continuance Until Next Thursday-Two Other Cases Postponed.

The Parkhurst Society still holds the right-cf-way in Justice Morrison's court at the afternoon sessions, and, at the rate at which it has been traveling since the first of its cases was called, it will continue to enjoy that privilege for some weeks to come. Unless the unexpected happens, the glad new year will be some weeks old before the last of the liquor-selling cases is disposed of.

There is little encouragement for those who hope to see the docket cleared of this business. Yesterday's record is like that of every other day of the past week. Two postponements and an incompleted case denote little progress. And yet the Committee on immoral Places and Practices holds back evidence enough to form the basis of 300 more complaints for violation of the liquor ordinances. The public has only heard "a little thunder before the coming storm," as Dr. McLean put it the other night during his sermon to men only. If that is true, it is safe to predict a rainy season in the City Justices' courts, and the liquor-sellers will do well to come in out of the wet. progress. And yet the Committee on Immoral Places and Practices holds back evidence enough to form the basis of 300 more complaints for violation of the liquor ordinances. The public has only heard "a little thunder before the coming storm," as Dr. McLean put it the other night during his sermon to men only. If that is true, it is safe to predict a rainy season in the City Justices' courts, and the liquor-seilers will do well to come in out of the wet.

One of the cases set for hearing yesterday, that against Rose Mitchell, had been previously dismissed by the prosecution because it was based upon such evidence as Justice Morrison had found insufficient in the Laddy case.

In the case against Joseph Vogele, Attorney Gottschälk, counsel for the defendant had filed his demurrer, but asked for a further postponement. With the consent of opposing counsel, the argument on the demurrer was deferred until the hearing of the case on Tuesday next.

on Tuesday next. Some delay was incurred in hearing some delay was incurred in hearing the case against R. Schulte, of the Broadway saloon, by the tardiness of his attorney, J. R. Rush, Esq., in putting in an appearance. Counsel's first move was to withdraw the plea of not guilty previously entered and to file a demurrer, in support of which he made

demurrer, in support of which he made a short argument.

The main contention of the demurrer was that the complaint alleged that whisky was sold "in a drinking place known as the Broadway saloon," after 12 o'clock a.m., on a certain date, and that there was no ordinance in Los Angeles which made such sale an offense in such a place. The ordinance reads, "tippling house, sample room or other place where liquor is sold," and Mr. Rush hoped to have the demurrer sustained on the ground that the complaint failed to comply with the wording of the ordinance.

After hearing the argument the court overruled the demurrer, and the fendant again entered a plea of not guilty, and requested a jury trial, which was denied, according to the precedent stablished in these cases..

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Before opening the case, Mr. Scranton, special counsel for the Parkhurst Society, stated that it had been stipulated by the People and the defense that Schulte was one of the owners of

was not waiting to go home with him.

Dr. McLean was the first witness called for the prosecution. The substance of his testimony was that on the morning of November 24, at 1:45 o'clock a.m., accompanied by H. S. Ryder, he visited the Broadway saloon at No. 614 South Broadway, which place they entered by the rear door facing on the alley-way running between Spring street and Broadway, which place a proper street and Broadway, which place a proper street and Broadway, which place a general between Spring street and Broadway, as they approached the place a young girl and lad apparently about 17 or 18 years of age came out. Both were drunk—the girl so much so that she stumbled and would have fallen to the stum

by the boy, who was scarcely less drunk than she.

Dr. McLean and Ryder followed Schulte, after he had seen the young couple depart, back into the saloon. As soon as Schulte went back of the bar one of four men who were standing alongside the counter called out in a loud voice: "Aren't you going to give us those drinks?" Schulte answered: "Hush up, don't you know it's after 12 o'clock. The landlady upstairs is getting onto me and has complained about the noise down here before."
"Ryder, who was with me," Dr. McLean continued, "asked Schulte for a drink and ordered beer; then he went over to a table and sat down, and when the beer was served, I carried it over to him and he began to sin it. Then I called for a cigar and baid for the beer and cigar. After that I went back to the bar and bought a small flask of whisky, for which I paid 25 cents."

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At this juncture a small bottle of whiskey was produced and offered in evidence. It bore a label which stared the place and hour of purchase, the price paid and the names of witnesses. Dr. McLean identified it as the bottle which he bought that night at the Broadway saloon, and described the furniture and paraphernalia of Schulte's place.

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Mr. Rush, counsel for the defendant, then took the witness. He endeavored to get from Dr. McLean an exact description of the passage-way and entrance to the saloon, and interrogated him as to whether the back door opened in or out, and the color of Schulte's coat and so on.

In the course of the cross-examination it came out that Dr. McLean had instructed Ryder to feign intoxication

that Schulte had said that his place was closed or that he had refused to sell them drinks.

The next witness called was H. S. Ryder, the companion of Dr. McLean on his visit to the Broadway saloon on the morning of November 24. His testimony was much the same as that given by the preceding witness, and there was little variation in his description of the scenes witnessed in the saloon.

He testified that after he had tasted the beer, Dr. McLean took it away from him and poured it out, saying he had had enough. He willingly admitted that he had tried to appear drunk while in the saloon, but denied that anything was said to the effect that he was sick or that "he and the doctor had been out all night to attend a confinement case." After Dr. McLean bought the bottle of whiskey they left the place. By his watch it was then 1.45 o'clock.

Dr. McLean was recalled to the stand

MORE PARKHURSTING

and testified that the bottle of whisky had been in his possession under lock and key since the time of purchase. He knew positively that it was the same bottle of whisky which he had bought from Schulte that night.

On conclusion of the evidence for the prosecution, Mr. Rush moved that the complaint be dismissed, and the defendant discharged because the character of defendant's business had not been proyed. The court summarily denied the motion.

The defendant then took the stand in his own behalf. He testified that he kept a saloon and restaurant at No. 614 South Broadway. He remembered the night of Dr. McLean's visit very clearly. When Ryder called for beer, the doctor had said: "Give him whatever he wants; he's under my care." Xyder, he said, acted more like a man who had been smoking opium, than as if he were drunk. When Dr. McLean took his cigar, defendant said: "He looks pretty sick," and Dr. McLean answered: "Yes; give me a bottle of whisky. I don't know what may happen."

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cated?"

"Maybe he was sick, maybe drunk. He acted queer anyhow."

"Well, did you ever hear' beer prescribed for such a case before?"

"No," said Schulte.

Defendant then testified that he had on the white coat that he usually wore in the saloon, but he was not in the habit of wearing it home, although he said he had closed up the place and was getting ready to leave.

"How late did you serve any meals that night?" asked Mr. Fletcher.

"As late as 1 o'clock—to the couple that left when these parties came in."

"What did they have to eat?"

"Two sandwiches. They ate them in one of the back rooms."

Then it was drawn out of the witness that the young couple, who Schulte said, acted like man and wife, had come to his place before 12 oclock and stayed there in a back room for an hour and three-quarters. He couldn't say what they were doing, because they did not come into the sailoon proper.

Mr. Fletcher made Wright admit that he did not live near Schulte and was not waiting to go home with him. He had only been in the saloon a few minutes when McLean and Ryder came

OLD AND NEW

Artistic Ironwork at the Chambe

The beautiful wrought-iron case placed in the Chamber of Commerce by William A. Fruhling was filled yesterday with a rare exhibit of old Indian pottery, books and ironwork. The object is to give an effective contrast of the old ironwork and the new, and to show the sort of work which the Indians are doing yet and have done from time immemorial.

The central compartment of the cab-inet holds a rare old missal of Indian parchment. The mass is illuminated upon the creamy surface, and is spread upon the creamy surface, and is spread over thirty-six artistic pages. With the missal is placed a cross, a candlestick and a holy-water vessel, all of Indian ironwork. Below is a huge iron water jug.

On either side is a superb display of pottery, ironwork books and curios of all descriptions, some of the articles being very beautiful, and all of them interesting to lovers of quaint things.

REMARKABLE LONGEVITY.

Death of a Centenarian in Thi

At the remarkable age of 100 years and 2 months, Mrs. Sarah Davis, a resident of this city, died yesterday at her home, No. 1001 Mission road.

Mrs. Davis was a widow and the

mother of nine children. She was born ton it came out that Dr. McLean had instructed Ryder to feign intoxication in order to find out if the bar-keeper would sell him drinks while in that condition. Under that agreement Ryder played the part of a drunken man, but no sort of pretense was made that he was sick.

Dr. McLean also positively denied that Schulte had said that his place was closed or that he had refused to sell them drinks.

The next witness called was H. S. Ryder, the companion of Dr. McLean on his visit to the Broadway saloon on the morning of November 24. His testimony was much the same as that given by the preceding witness, and there was little variation in his description of the scenes witnessed in in East Tennessee. Twenty-five years ago she came to California and made her home in this county, where she re-mained during the last quarter century

Y.M.C.A. Debating Club

Y.M.C.A. Debating Club has elected the following of its members to represent its interests at the coming convention of Southern California Lyceum Leagues. Messrs. Fallis. Gubser, Hearne, F. J. and Theodore Syvertson, Swan, Niles and Cunningham. The convention will be held at Pasadena next Saturday, December 19. Every lyceum club in Southern California is expected to be represented.



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We shall continue to offer suggestions from time to time until Christmas, but you could get a so much better idea—seeing what a useful, low-priced, yet artistic article you can get than us TELLING you about it.

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Every man in his normal condition has a certain amount of vitality. If he exhausts or uses that up he dies. When it is partially lost he becomes weak, nervous. Thousands of men have lost sufficient of this vital force to unfit them for business or pleasure. Nearly nine out of ten men are weak in this way and dosing themselves with drugs in their vain efforts to get cured. It is useless to expect this power from drugs, as all medical men admit that vital force is Elecefforts to get cured. It is uscless to expect this power from drugs, as all medical men admit that vital force is Electricity, so nothing else will replace it. Dr. Sanden's Electric Belt is too well known to need a detailed description. It soaks the body daily with the life of Electricity. This restores the vitality lost from the system and makes manhood complete. We positively guarantee it to cure all forms of Nervous Debility, Shrunken Parts, Nervousness, Forgetfulness, Confusion of Ideas, Languor, Dyspepsia, Lame Back, Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Complaint, and the many evils resulting from secret habits in youth or excesses in maturer years; we wish to say that the marvelous invention,

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"I am 66 years old. I have been doctoring for many years trying to recover my vital powers, but your Belt has done me more good in a few weeks than all the other remedies I have used. I would not part with it now for any seed. I would not part with it now for any seed. I would not part with it now for any seed. I would not part with it now for any seed. I would not part with it now for any seed. I would not part with it now for any seed. I was so weak that should I not have found your belt would lave not been in the hospital. In my experience—I am 59 years of age—I have never found a remedy for my trouble that I can speak as highly of as I can of your edites I have used. I would not part with it now for many years past. I was so weak that should I not have found your belt would I not have found in the hospital. In my experience—I am 59 years of age—I have never found a remedy for my trouble that I can speak as highly of as I can of your edites I have never found a remedy for my trouble that I was so weak that should I not have found in the would have now been in the hospital. In my experience—I am 59 years of age—I have never found a remedy for my trouble that I was so weak that should I not have found in the would have now been in the hospital. In my experience—I am 59 years of age—I have never found a remedy for my trouble that I was so weak that should I not have found in the would have now for a second in the would hav

A Los Angeles Capitalist,

"The Belt which I bought from you six months ago has entirely cured me of Nervous bebility and Kidney Troubles. I feel better now than I ever did before in my life as it has made a new man of me. I will gladly recommend your Belt, as it surely does all you claim for it." writes PAUL WALTERSTEIN, Visulia, Cal, November 24, 1896.

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A Grateful Man.

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November 17, 1894.

Dr. A. T. Sanden—Dear Sir: I deem it my duty for the sake of others who have been afficted as I was to give you a report of what your No. 5 beit has done for me. Five months ago I was badly troubled with seminal weakness of long standing, which brought on lame back, emissions, impotency, etc., all of which went to make life miscrable, instead of comfort and pleasure. I saw your ad, in the local papers, and concluded to try one of your Belts. After the first week's wearing I began to improve and have kept on improving up to date, and I naw have complaints worth living. All of the above complaints worth living. All of the above complaints wave disappeared and I can enjoy my meals a land on the same of the

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cowboys, kings, queens, nuns, harle-quins. Two of the neatest costumes were those of a hunter and a lady dressed as Columbia. The gallery con-tained quite a large throng of specta-tors.

The Committee of Arrangements was composed of J. D. Simmons, J. F. Brock and May Cohn. A. Mendelson

The Committee of Arrangements was composed of J. D. Simmons, J. F. Brock and Max Cohn. A. Mendelson acted as floor manager, with William Quinn, E. H. Heller, M. Siegel and Charles Nicholson as aides. The Reception Committee consisted of Abe Cohn, William McDermot, J. D. Simmons, J. Webber and J. F. Buck. The programme comprised twenty dances, with several extras.

CANDY.—Finest line in the city at HICK'S, No. 206 S. Broadway.

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will certainly be there in spirit, and per-

will certainly be there in spirit, and perhaps represented by others.

There may be those who will inquire if Lindley was elected, a short time since, to the Legislature. For the benefit of these—he was not. Others there may be who will ask, hearing that the Lindley person will consult with the State representatives tomorrow and the day after, whether these representa-tives are warm, close friends of Lind-ley's, elected with the understanding that they were such. Those who are conversant with the struggle made by this bosslet in September last, to foist this bossiet in September last, to tolst his own creatures upon the people as the State's representatives, will know that in every Assembly and Senatorial district in Southern California men were nominated and elected that stood, or were supposed to stand, utterly aloof from the "bossiet."

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This being the case, it may again be asked what interest or tie in common, with these Assemblymen, the Lindley person has. Why should his presence be forced upon them? Wherein does his right to discuss, with them, matters of interest to the State lie? What can he hope to receive or gain by mingling, becoming acquainted or intimate with these officials? In the proper answer to the latter query will be found the solution of the puzzle.

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THOSE WHO CAN BE "USED."

Lindley is going to Sacramento. Lindley will have an eye intent always upon the men who can be "used," or bought. Lindley will make it his business. to know what persons can be bled, or made to give up that which is valuable, for purchasable votes, the whereabouts of which Lindley will know. Lindley will work in Sacramento, and his work will be what it always has been. That sort of work can never be done without votes of Assemblymen and Senators. There are not many Assemblymen, other than those of Southern California, that Lindley will expect to have influence with. He proposes beginning to gain that influence, or at least drive in the wedge, later to beginning to gain that influence, or at least drive in the wedge, later to become a lever, at the meeting of the Assemblymen and Senators at the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow and at Whittier the next day.

There may be among the Legislature people to be here tomorrow, some that are no better informed than to think that their hands can touch pitch and not be defiled—that they can be taken into Lindley's camp and not become political corpses. That is exactly what H. Lindley wishes to find out. He, will ascertain the facts in the case without much loss of time. His past experience in picking out weak pieces of official flesh, easily moulded and used to the furtherance of his own ends, will enable him to learn quickly about what chance he has of controlling and delivering any votes from Southern California to any people at Sacramento mext month. People who pretend to know, believe that the Lindley person will be given a set-back in the next three days by these same Senators and Assemblymen-elect. But that remains to be seen.

MUST "MAKE A SHOWING." What will be H. Lindley's method f procedure? First, all, or almost all, that will have to be done by him to convince people in the North and else convince people in the North and elsewhere that he is still a factor in
Southern California politics, will be
for him to "make a showing" in organizing and mobilizing the legisjative forces of this end of the State.
The thing itself need not actually be
done. The appearance of its having
been accomplished will be enough to
suit the Lindley person's purposes. It
by any line of action carried out before the Legislature meets, the impression can be created that H. Lindley has influence in Southern California, so that when people wanting
legislation accomplished and needing
votes in the work, shall inquire whom
to "see" in Southern California's contingent, and be told in reply that
"Lindley can do the business," then
the aforesaid Lindley will be very well
satisfied.

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No real control may be had by Lindley of even a single Assemblyman's sympathies, but if only an appearance of organization can be made, with Lindley figuring as the organizer, that will amply satisfy the cunning Whittler bosslet.

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Whittier bosslet.

This is what he will attempt in the next three or four days. During that time the eyes of California politicians will be turned toward the conference which is to begin tomorrow in this city and be continued at Whittier during the week. This conference is known to be preliminary to the caucusing that will take place at Sacramento before the Legislature convenes, when the patronage will be dispensed and divers other important questions settled. These lynx-eyed politicians throughout the State will keep their optics directed down this way for several days, and H. Eindley knows this.

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They will want to know what the Southern California representatives are going to do, why they are going to do it and who persuaded them or influenced them in organizing to do it. If the Lindley person can have it sent abroad that his own influence had aught to do with the result of the coming conference, nothing better will be desired by him. That will be enough to base a boast upon, in the Legislature, that "unless you see me you get nothing of support from Southern California!"

It is not thought probable that Lindley will seek to perfect his plans in this city during the coming week, but rather at Whittier, where his home is and where is also the State Reform School.

And here may be mentioned a significant of the country of the coming week, but said where is also the State Reform School. THEY WILL WANT TO KNOW.

School.

And here may be mentioned a significant circumstance. In the reports that have been sent out regarding the conference tomorrow, it has also been said, in addition, and usually at the close of the report, that "the Assemblymen and Senators-elect will also visit the Whittier school during the week. The bosslet's own organ, after

explaining the purpose of the conference, says: "The entire party are to spend the night at Whittier, looking over the State school there."

Why should the entire party visit Whittier and look over the State school? The party is not, of course, a committee appointed to inspect the State school there. No invitation has been issued to the party to visit and inspect the school. The board of trustees of the Whittier school have not issued any such invitation. Whence then comes the invitation? Why, from Hervey Lindley, forsooth, who has no more official connection with the State school at Whittier than he has with the pearly gates guarded by St. Peter. His Opportunity Found.

But the "entire party" is to go to

THE BOSSLET WOULD LIKE TO ABSORB THEM BODILY.

Their Votes Would Be Worth a Deal to Him at Sacramento While the Legislature is to Be in Session.

The men elected a short time ago to the Senate and Assembly are to meet in this city at the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow afternoon. The purpose of their meeting is a purely proper one, so far as known, being ostensibly for consultation with regard to the interestanceds and wants of Southern California. The man who would be boss will be there tomorrow. If not in person, he will certainly be there in spirit, and perhaps represented by others.

SIG. BETTMAN INTERESTED. There are at this time, in Los Ange les, two or three politicians from the northern part of the State who will wait to see what "strings" the Lindley person is to have on Southern California's Assemblymen.

Sam Rainey and Sig. Bettman and Percy Henderson are here with Fire Chief Sullivan of San Francisco. They are to remain here until the latter part

Sam Rainey and Sig. Bettman and Percy Henderson are here with Fire Chlef Sullivan of San Francisco. They are to remain here until the latter part of next week. They will be interested in ascertaining to what extent H. Lindley controls the politics of Southern California. They are at this time skeptical of his having even so much as a little bit of control over any part of its politics. They are waiting to see whether the conference tomorrow at the Chamber of Commerce and later at Lindley's home in Whittler will change the situation with respect to Lindley's position in politics.

Bettman is a candidate for Speaker of the Assembly. Sam Rainey is too well known as a Democratic boss of San Francisco to need further description. The Legislature will be given their personal attention during the winter. They would perhaps be delighted to secure, at the right time, the votes of Southern California Assemblymen and Senators. If any one person is to control those votes or any part of them, they and others want to know it. H. Lindley, with all his record, hopes to be the man whom Bettman and Rainey and a score of others will find it necessary to consult during the session of the Legislature.

Meanwhile the "dairymen who want laws passed to protect their products, etc.," are making ready to occupy the time of the future statesmen, at the Chamber of Comerce tomorrow, and the persons interested in having the State represented at various expositions are preparing reams of matter, that shall convince the Assemblymen of what would be the loss to the State should an insufficient appropriation be made by the Legislature for the purpose. In fact, all hands are preparing to swoop down upon the conference at the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow, and when the seance is finished, the wise Assemblymen will seek rest and repose elsewhere than at the Whittier State School of Reform.

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To Buy Furs.

Very special prices in our genuine Beaver, Otter, Krimmer, Marten, Mink and Seal Garments. Only one or two of a kind that must be closed out before Christmas.

Ladies' Black French Coney Fur Capes, 27 inches deep and full sweep, a genuine \$7.50 garment; \$3.98

Ladies' 27-inch Black Lynx Capes, wide sweep and black silk lined, fine \$12 worth; now is the

Ladies' Baltic Seal Collarette, with large storm collar, trimmed with 14 tails and 2 heads, fancy \$7.50 silk lining, worth \$12; now is the time......

Ladies' Black Lynx Capes, 30 inches long, 'very full sweep and a rich \$15 garment; now is the

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earlier, but the makers did not fulfill the contract and you are the gainer. Lower prices than if they had arrived on time.

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To Buy a

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Ladies' Separate Skirts, made of Scotch Cheviot mixtures, in rich dark color effects.

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Se Our Holiday stock is bristling with dainty and attractive novelties appropriate for gifts to ladies. Useful articles, of lasting quality, may be had for any desired price.

Some idea of the variety of our assortment may be gained by a perusal of the following list. Our Silver wares are all of sterling quality, 925-1000 fine,

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Curling Lamps, \$4 to \$10.
Glove Stretchers, \$3.
Hair Ornaments, \$1 to \$25.
Hat Brushes, \$1.25 to \$5.
Lorgnettes, \$2.50 to \$10.
Mirrors, \$1 to \$15.
Needle Cases, 75c to \$8.
Photo Frames, \$1.25 to \$1. Photo Frames, \$1.25 to \$10. Pin Cushions, 75c to \$5. Puff Boxes, \$2.50 to \$15. Scissors, \$1 to \$8. Shoe Horns, \$1.25 to \$5. Thimbles, 25c to \$1.
Toilet Bottles, \$4 to \$25.
Vinaigrettes, \$1 to \$5.

Belts, \$1 to \$15. Book Markers, 50c to \$8. Hat Pins. 25c to \$1.50. Hat Pins, 25c to \$1.50.
Brooches, 50c to \$5.
Combs, \$1 to \$5.
Curling Tongs, \$1 to \$4.
Garters, \$2 to \$5.
Glove Darners, \$1.25 to \$2.
Pin Trays, \$1 to \$5.
Jewel Boxes, \$5 to \$20.
Manicaye Sate \$1. to \$2% Manicure Sets, \$1 to \$25. Nali Polishers, \$1 to \$5. Opera Glasses, \$3.50 to \$20. Perfume Bottles, \$2 to \$15. Pocketbooks, \$1 to \$15. Side Combs, 75c to \$4. Serving Sets, \$5 to \$10. Souvenir Spoons, \$1 to \$5. Thimble Cases, \$1.25.

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Do you know that it'll pay you

Do you know that it'll pay you handsomely to look in at Desmond's sale of Christmas hats, shirts, neck-wear, hosiery, gloves, etc., etc. His stock is an aggregation of gilt-edged chances, a chain of bargains, a parade of temptation, a brilliant galaxy of money-saving opportunities. Don't waste time speculating upon what may or may not be at his store in the Bryson Block but come and see. It's easy or may not be at his store in the Bryson Block, but come and see. It's easy enough to come, and you'll find what you wouldn't miss for money.

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Ladies, we have just received our handsome new line of New Home, Domestic and Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines, and will offer special bargains for the holiday trade. Ladies calling to purchase needles and oil will be presented with one of our trimmed fans. Moorehead & Barre, 349 South Spring street.

Spring street.

New Home, White, Eldridge B, and other first-class machines, \$15 to \$35. Don't buy from agents, and pay big prices, when you can buy from us on the no-agent plan and save \$20 to \$40. White Sewing machine office, No. 239 South Spring street.

South Spring street.

Souvenir Day—A box of fine cream candy given away to every lady customer purchasing 25 cents worth of goods or over, on Monday, December 14. Cut-rate prices throughout. Vogel's cut-rate drug store, corner Seventh and Broadway.

Desmond's stock of Christmas hats.

Desmond's stock of Christmas hats neckwear, suspenders, gloves, etc., etc., is a procession of prize values, going at surprise prices. See his show windows this week, in the Bryson Block, No. 141 South Spring street.

It will certainly pay you well to see the great inducements now being of-fered by the Queen Shoe Store, No. 162 and 164 North Main street. Their show window display of bargains has not been equaled in this city.

Lee Kwai Sing is pleased to walt on his patrons at his new store, No. 336 South Spring street, where jackets, wrappers, embroidered silks and choice Japanese goods are offered at bargains. Fretwork and grilles, a rich and unique decoration for doorways, arches, windows, etc.; 40 cents per foot and uward. Decorative woodwork, par-quet floors, etc. Smith's, 707 Broadway.

quet floors, etc. Smith's, 707 Broadway. Ladies, we are closing out our stock of no-agent plan sewing machines, such as the Eldridge B, Seamstress and Kenwood. Any reasonable offer accepted, No. 349 S. Spring street, near Fourth. Turkey dinner, 25 cents; French dinner, including turkey and all the other delicacies, 50 cents, at Jerry Illich's, Nos, 219-221 West Third street, Sunday, December 13, from 12 to 8 p.m. Wanted—More pupils for an adult

Wanted-More pupils for an adult club class in dancing; meeting Thursday evening. Special rate; references required. Noama Alfrey, 226 South Spring street.

Spring street.

The programme of the Immanuel Church praise service for this evening is full of good things, with a talk by the pastor, upon "Our Favorite Hymns."

Talking parrots, singing and fancy birds and cages, goldfish and aquaria: large assortment of shells, curios and novelties. Strickland's, 516 S. Broadway.

Everybody will take turkey dinner at the Vincent dining parlors, Mrs. M. Bostwick proprietress, No. 617 South Broadway, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. New store, new stock, new styles. Visit the Oak Shoe Store, No. 114 West First street, Natick House, will offer lowest prices in this city.

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Howell will sell children's rubbers for cents on Monday. No. 111 South pring street.

cial fine cabinet photos, \$1 to \$1.75 loz. Sunbeam, 236 South Main. Dr. Minnie Wells, 745 South Main. nd-painted china, at Elliott's, 421

South Spring street. See this artistic display.

No. 52 won the sewing machine raf-fied at No. 1634 Temple street. Lewis B. Bronson, son of A. B. Bronson, has joined the United States navy at Mare Island.

There will be a plucking of birds at the ostrich farm on Christmas day. Visitors can obtain stop-over tickets now on the electric line,

now on the electric line,

E. W. Howell was arrested at Spring and Temple streets yesterday afternoon and locked up at police headquarters for begging.

John Williams, Thomas Cox and Joe, a trio of beggars, were arrested on Main street, by Officer Shields, Blackburn and Matuskiewiz last night.

A dramatic and musical entertainment, followed by a dance, will be given by Mrs. Adeline Duval Mack and her pupils at Music Hall, December 29.

An entertainment will be given at An entertainment will be given at Music Hall on the evening of December 30, for the benefit of A. E. Lynch, secretary of the Los Angeles Catholic Benevolent Association.

Benevolent Association.

The Vincent lecture course opened last Friday evening. A large audience gathered to hear Rev. Dr. Selah W. Brown's interesting lecture on "Way Down South in Dixie."

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Mrs. Lee, George E. Ketchum, A. N. Goudy (two.) Capt. Robinson. S. Vollman, Mrs. Martha E. Sorrell and W. C. Martin.

John Stoddard, a teamster for Ram-

DEATH RECORD.

DIFFENBACHER—At No. 743 S. Broadway, December 12, 1896, Minnie Etta, beloved and oldest daughter of Anna E. Diffenbacher, and sister of Lulu A. Diffenbacher, aged 24 years 5 months and 12 days.
Funeral Monday at 2:30 p.m., at her mother's residence. Friends are invited without further notice.
Under auspices of Acacia Chapter No. 21, Order of the Eastern Star.
ALLEN—At Receiving Hospital, December 11, 1896, A. E. Allen, aged 57 years.
Funeral from funeral parlors of John R. Paul, No. 421 Downey avenue, at 2 o'clock, Sunday, December 13, under auspices of Sunset Lodge. F. and A. M., No. 290. Friends invited to attend. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

Officers and members of Acacia Chapter, No. 21, O.E.S., are requested to meet at Masonic Temple, on Hill street, Monday, December 14, at 1:30, to attend the funeral of our late sister, Minnie Diffenbacher. By ord of the W. M. Brown, beloved husband of Mrs. C. Price Brown, and farther of Alme Frank Z. and V. P. Brown and Mrs. F. R. Pittman, aged 73 years 10 months 28 days.
Funeral from West End Methodist Episcopal Church Eighteenth and Union avenue, Sunday, December 13, at 2:30 p.m.
Lumpkin, Americus and Marrietta, Ga., papers please copy.

JENKINS—In this city, December 11, Annie M. Jenkins, beloved wife of Frank Jenkins, a native of Sheffield, England, aged 27 years.

SECOND annual clearance sale now on at he Rival Jewelry Store, No. 256 Broadway.

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Colored Fancy Silks for waists and trimmings. in the latest and most desirable color combinations, new Jacquard satin and overshot effects, chameleon, Rayes and printed warps, price 75c yard.

Black Satin Rhadame, 24 inches wide, a skirting satin of great durability and beauty, good value at \$1 yard, price 75c yard.

\$1.50 Black Satin Damasse, extra heavy, rich Lyons silks, in the exquisite new arabesque and ribbon-knot designs, real value \$2.50 yard, price \$1.50 yard.

Ladies' Winter Waists, Capes and Cloth Suits.

\$1.25 Ladies' All-wool Flannel Waists, in black navy and cardinal; detachable collar and large turn-back cuffs of same material; regular price \$1.75; our sale at \$1.25.

\$6.00 Ladies' Cape, made from good quality silk plush; handsome Thibet edging around collar and down front, cape lined with silk serge; regular price \$7.50; our sale at \$6.00.

\$6.50 Ladies' Cape, made from superior quality Astrakhan cloth, Thibet edging around collar and down front, cape silk serge lined; former price \$8.50; our sale at \$6.50.

\$10.00 Ladies' All-wool Boucle Suits, in black and navy; high front box jacket, satin lined; extra full skirt, percaline lined; considered good value at \$12.50; our sale at \$10.00.

Woolen Dress Suitings.

25c 40 inch all-wool French Serge, in black and staple colors, 25c per

50c 52 inch Navy Blue Storm Serge, all wool, fast color and fine finish, 50c per yard.

65 54 inch Cheviot Suitings, in dark rich colorings and checked effects, 65c per yard.

75c 40 inch Novelty Suitings, all pure wool in red, blue, brown and green ground, interwoven with black mohair, 75c per yard. \$1.00 44 inch Imported Novelties, in the latest two-tone effects and rough

weaves, \$1 per yard. 45° 38 inch Black Figured Mohair, all pure wool, new designs and glossy effects. 45c per yard

effects, 45c per yard. 38 inch Black Figured Lizard Mohairs, all pure wool, neat pattern (5 and rich effects, 75c per yard.

\$1.00 54 inch Black Diagonal Suitings, all pure wool, extra weight and fine quality, \$1 per yard.

Table Damasks, All in Fine Irish Linen.

55° Table Damask, 62 inches wide, in both cream and bleached, pure Irish linen, heavy and durable, pretty patterns, and a fine satin fin-

ish; special price for this week, 55c yard. Table Damask, 66 inches wide, in both cream and bleached, a close fine weave, very solid and serviceable; a large variety of new patterns; special price for this week, 75c yard.

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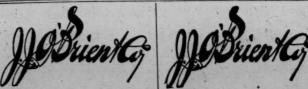
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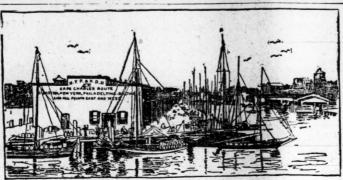


TORNA had been lying on the oys ter bar near Easton for two days. We had gone on all sorts of explor-ing expeditions inland from the oure love of adventure, and had found so-long shake and a wildcat. It

was't a real wildcat—just a tame one gone wild—but it was very fierce, and humped up its back in a manner which was quite horrible to contemplate. Then there were some wild flowers, but we were not scared of them as was the

practically wrecked we had as much fun as a party of mariners cast away people of Easton and members of the Chesapeake Bay Yacht Club in particular did everything that could be done to make us have a good time, and they

The commodore did not speak for some time. He went to the chartroom with Capt. Evans and went carefully over the chart of the bay. Sailing as we had been under the direction of the pilot, who was supposed to know every foot of the channel, the commodore



had been taking a sort of day off, so he had not watched the course at all, thinking that all was in the hands of a man who knew better than he what was the best way out of the river and into the open bay. When he examined the charts he found that the channel was some four miles wide just off Sharp's Island light, and that out close to the edge of it there was a bunch of sand that rose within eleven feet of the surface at low tide. This sunken bar was found to be only about an eighth of a mile in diameter, and how the pilot could have picked out so small a piece of dangerous sailing from all the deep water that lay about he was unable to find out. The pilot said he thought the ship would go over the bar all right; that he knew the bar was there, and had fished over it a thousand times. How he expected to get a ship drawing fourteen feet through eleven feet of water he did not explain, nor was he asked to help in the night of work that followed.

There we were again, after having just escaped from one bar, we were piled up on another and one far more dangerous. Up in the Tred Avon we were in a friendly country close to the shore and in the calmest of calm water. Now we were many miles from land, with nothing but the light on Sharp's Island to let us know that there was another living thing besides ourselves on the face of the earth. Here we were, our ship stranded on the bar, the wind blowing a half gale and the days we spent upon the eastern shore of Maryland, nor shall we forget the ovely hospitality which was shown us. On the afternoon of the third day a friendly sail appeared on the horizon. Drawing nearer us we discovered her to be a long, low, rakish craft, such as Capt. Kidd might have used in the days when there was treasure to be filched on the Spanish main. It wasn't really a sailing ship. It was a stamer loaded with piles for the Baltimore market, and the name of the ship was Julian S. Taylor, hauling from Middletown, Del. The captain brought her alongside and asked us where we were bound. We told him we were bound fast to the oyster bar, at which jest on our part a large holiow laugh echoed through the fo'castle of the Taylor. Then he threw us a line and started his engines and pulled Norna off into the water again. It was very exciting. That night the commodore decided to drop down the Choptank to Oxford, and Norna lay there until the following morning. Then the same pilot who had got us into trouble on the river came on board again, and as the course out into the bay was clear enough the commodore thought that the pilot could surely not get us into any more scrapes. So we left Oxford at noon and sailed away down the Choptank. It was the first unpleasant day we had seen since leaving New York. The weather had been superb

ing that we left Oxford was rainy, and we got into our ollskins and sou'westerers. Oilskins, I may say for the beneath of the benighted landlubber, are coats made of yellow cloth soaked in paint. They are very stiff and very clammy, but they keep the rain off and the wind from blowing through to one's bones. I do not like to have the wind blow through to my bones. Then a sou'wester is a sort of a cross between the common common and the word of the ship he clammy, but they keep the rain off and the wind from blowing through to one's bottom. This was not very comforting, but it was better than sou'wester is a sort of a cross between the common and the word in the blow through to my bones. Then a selves with that. We had dinner as sou'wester is a sort of a cross between a blue sunbonnet and a golf cap. It is also yellow and made of painted cloth. It is lined with red flannel and has earlaps and strings to tie down under one's of the ship. There was no attempt at



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chin. They are quite coquettish in appearance. So we put on these things and said on deck in the drizzling rain. It say "drizzling" advisedly. I had never known before what a drizzling rain was like. Out on the water a rain of this sort is very different from your ordinary drizzling rain on shore. It has barbs on it, and each individual barb gets into your skin and romps around till you think you've been rubbed with sandpaper and tomato ketchup. Drizzling rains on the water are not nice things.

Now comes the sensational part.

Late in the afternoon I was sitting down in my stateroom putting some of my justly-celebrated beautiful thoughts on paper when there came the most horrible hair-raising sound it has ever been my fortune to hear. A shiver ran over the ship and then there came a thump which threw the chairs in the cabin off their feet and made me run on deck. There was just the feeling that suffocation would come unless I could get out into the air. I do not know that this is the feeling that comes when very serious danger threatens every one, but I know that it is the same sensation that came over me one say when a man out in the mountains of Colorado pointed a revolver at my head. At such times it is not fear, it is a feeling of great oppression, and a desire for air that comes, and there is

sleep. Norna had gone on to the bar when the tide was at the lowest and high water did not come until 3 o'clock in the morning. Before this time the commodore had tried to pull the ship into an easier position by throwing out an anchor and dragging at the windlass, but it was no use. Norna was too deep in the sand for anything short of a steamer to make her move except as the waves lifted her and let her fall again, with the ghastly sound of the grating of the keel.

Just before the high tide came in, the commodore got on all the sail that was safe, and at the flood of the tide the ship still lay nearly a foot in the sand. The waves, however, lifted her at each swell, and the force of the wind carried her an inch at a time over the shoal. For two dreary hours the wind and the waves worked together, and at 5 o'clock, with four hard bumps and a final grate over the bar, Norna slid off into the deep water again. There was a shout of relief when, with the next swell that came, there was no accompanying strike of the keel, and we felt that we had been saved from a dangerous accident. The well was tried and we found that nothing had been sprung sufficiently to let the ship take in any water, but we could not tell how badly the copper sheathing had been in injured, nor shall we know till Norna can be taken up on dry dock. But we seesped fortunately, and went to bed

after the night's watching feeling that when Thanksgiving came we would have a bit more to be thankful for than those other people who had not come down to the sea.

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With daybreak the wind died out entirely, and all through the morning we sailed without moving much. The sails flapped over the water and the reflections in the glassy surface were such as one finds in some of the pictures made by Turner, which, to one who has never seen a dead (alm at sea, seem to be overdrawn. But they are not—they could not be. There is no such thing possible. No artist could by any brush carry to the observer that motion in quiet, that movement without sign of movement which one feels on board ship when the wind walks over the water and nakes no sound. No artist can catch that subtlety of grace which comes only in a picture of which the invisible forms a part. One cannot describe it, but the reader who knows De Maupassant's "Sur I Eau" may read something of that which has never been written in any other place.

At noon a bit of a breeze came up and increased as the day went on. The sunset was clear and after it was over the whad been making full twelve knots an hour for some time. When the crash came it seemed as though every spar must come out, but it was just here that Norna showed of what stuff she is made. There was the shiver and the thump as her bronze keel struck the bar, as though she were trying to shake herself free from some weight. She listed first to port and then" to starboard, and then settled down, perfectly still.

The commodore did not speak for some time. He went to the chartroom with Cant. Evens and went carefully and the yacht lay over on her side sailing square into the wind. All the sail that could be carried had been put on. Even the topsails were set, and though we saw no other ship that was sailing except under close reef, we had no

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rear.

Two of us—never mind which two—went up to the bow, and hanging tight to the stays, we felt something which may never be known on land. We felt the supreme delight of swift motion the supreme delight of swift motion through space such as must come with flying. There was no sight of anything but the water and the dense blue of the sky and the moon and the stars, and we felt that we were very close to the hand of the God of nature. Then, when a great wave came over the bow and the spray of it struck us full in the face, it seemed that it was a caress from an invisible hand. There was a light such as was never seen over all the water—so it will not be forgotten—that night on the Chesapeake.

Shortly after midnight we came to the very dangerous channel which makes between the horse-shoe and Willoughby Point, the entrance to the bay from Hampton Roads. But with never an error the commodore directed the ship squarely through the passage where many and many a sailor has gone to the end of things, and we squared away for Thimbie Shoul light. Then on up toward the light that guards old Point Comfort. At 2 o'clock in the morning we dropped anchor just off the great hotels that have made the point famous, and went below and to sleep.

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In the morning the weather was threatening and we did not go ashore as we had intended, but ma e sail again and went up the Elizabeth River to Norfolk, that gateway of the nation, favored by nature with a location which is unsurpassed on the Atlantic seaboard. At that point on the coast the gulf stream comes to the shere, bringing with it the warmth of the South and tempering the climate till it is perfection. Throughout all the year the variation of temperature is so little that it makes a climate of the most remarkable character, a climate that is nearer ideal than anywhere. Here the south wind and the sun are friends, and they work together for the good of Virginia and her people.

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battle, after the little Monitor had driven the ponderous Merrimac up the river again, the Confederates blew the ill-fated ship to perdition with flynamite, and parts of her still may be found near where Norna now lies quietly at anchor. It was feared that the ship might fall into the hands of the Federal forces and so be used as a power against the men who built her. They were brave men—those soldiers of the Confederacy—and they fought their fight against terrible odds, but their spirit has not gone out of the men of Virginia who have lived after them, and it continues in the gentleness of great strength, which is as it should be.

The city of Norfolk and her sister The city of Norfolk and her sister cities, Portsmouth and Berkley, deserve more credit than those cities of the North which have not had the hand of adversity laid heavily against them. This district has suffered greatly from many causes, and has emerged from the siege with a distinction that will be proven the more forcibly as the years go by, and it takes the place it should have as one of the remarkable municipalities of America. About the year 1800, Norfolk was the maritime rival of New York. It had the West Indian trade and a foreign business that was not far bewas the maritime rival of New York. It had the West Indian trade and a foreign business that was not far behind what it is today. In the early part of the century it promised to be the commercial emporium of the New World. The Embargo Proclamation of 1807, the war of 1812, and the Navigation Act of 1820, were almost crushing blows, but it rallied in the '40s only to be scourged in 1855- with the yellow fever. Then, as though this were not enough, came the Rebellion. But Norfolk is herself again, and in all the country there is not a city of equal size—nearly 120,000 population—that promises a more remarkable future. Norfolk will be what the early navigators called it: "A King's Chamber among the world's great harbors." and one of the foremost cities of the United States.

(Philadelphia American:) Who would suppose that a turned-down kerosene lamp would breed diphtheria? We are all accustomed to the disagreeable fumes arising from this cause; and when New York was suffering from an epidemic of diphtheria, the Board of Health decided that its presence was to be attributed to the fumes of a kerosene lamp turned down low more than to any other single cause. Whether or not this be so, it certainly is a mistaken kindness on the part of an indulgent mother to allow a lamp to remain in a child's had-room with the flame turned down. A turned-down kerosene lamp is a magazine of deadly gas, to which the strongest lungs cannot be safely exposed.

METEORS AND THEIR WAYS.

WHAT WE CALL SHOOTING STARS ARE REALLY SMALL SCRAPS OF DERELICT MATTER.

They are the Ephmera of the Heavens, Blazing Only Before Their Final Return to Darkness-Encountering the Earth's Protecting Atmosphere, These Little Bodies are Set on Fire by Friction-Our Atmos phere Screens Us from These Bullets of the Sky.

[Contributed to The Times.]

STRONOMY is generally concerned about objects of huge dimensions. For though many of the celestial bodies may appear to us to be small on account of the vast distance by which we are not arted from them, yet they are in any cases mighty globes comparable the our earth in bulk, or, more usure, hundreds or even millions of the growince of astronomy, which have pretensions to consideration on the protonic of the sind of their bulk. The objects of the I speak are in fact not as large even the smallest of moons or the st telescopic of planets. They are teven so big as the mountains or earth; the majority of them are intend little pieces of matter no larger and the pebbles on a garden walk. I re say that many of them are intend little pieces of matter no larger and the pebbles on a garden walk. I re say that many of them are not eater than the grains of sand on the ishore. We denote them by the word therefore, and the plane of the grains of sand on the ishore. We denote them by the word therefore and the plane of the grains of sand on the ishore. We denote them by the word the grains of the grain was a true to so the province of astronomy. Which have the motion of a meteor be such that it enters our earth's atmosphere. Immediately its terrific motion is checked with nearly the same emphasis as the speed of an ordinary rifle bullet would be checked if it were fixed into our atmosphere, cannot possibly be maintained afterward. The resistance of the circumstance of the celestial wanderer to continue its astonishing movements after it has taken the plunge, lead to consequences which the certain extent, pull the object, and completely to swerve from the direction it has been following, but provided it gets quite clear of the attent, pull the object, and completil it to swerve from the direction it has been following, but provided it gets quite clear of the attent, pull the object, and completil it to swerve from the direction it has been following, but provided it gets quite clear for the atmosphere which so completely in times greater. There is, however, one class of objects, strictly belonging to the province of astronomy, which have deed little pieces of matter no larger than the pebbles on a garden walk. I dare say that many of them are not greater than the grains of sand on the seashore. We denote them by the word

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The density of the air decreases with every increase in height above the earth's surface, until, at an altitude of a few hundred miles, the atmosphere may, for all practical purposes, be said to be non-existent. A bullet projected may, for all practical purposes, se said to be non-existent. A bullet projected from a rifle which was at such an altitude would only experience a resistance much less than that which so speedily reduces the muzzle velocity of a missile fired at the earth's surface. On account of this atmospheric resistance it would be impossible for missiles down here to proceed yelocities exceeding a certain

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Accordingly we find that meteors are generally animated with speeds for its expensive the speed of a train which such terrific velocities in no occasion to inquire as to the manner in which such terrific velocities have been originally imparted. All that we have mot to consider is the fact that these little object is the swiftest rifie bullet that ever was fired. Let us think of a little meteor hurrying along with velocities ten times twenty times, fifty times, or sometimes even one hundred times as swift as the swiftest rifie bullet that ever was fired. Let us think of a little meteor hurrying along through open space a transfer of a rifle bullet. It need hardly be said that under such circumstances, we could not see the object. It is too remote from our earth. The most powerful telescope would not display such an insignificant hody to us even it it. The continuation of the properties of the proper

continue its astonishing movements after it has taken the plunge, lead to consequences which, though fatal to the meteor, are of the highest interest. Every one knows that the friction of two bodies rubbing against each other These little objects must, however, be regarded as bodies which come within the province of the astronomer, for they have an existence quite independent of our earth, and move freely through space, in so far at least as that part of their career is concerned which precedes the supreme occasion on which, once for all, they make their appearance to us.

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ble dust along a track perhaps ten, twenty or fifty miles in length. Our only knowledge of the existence of the meteor is acquired during the very brief space while its annihilation is in progress. Before that time we could not see it, for it was too small and too far away and moving too rapidly. After that time it could hardly be known to us, for how could we gather up the dust into which it had been converted along its track. But during the supreme moment of its dissolution it supreme moment of its dissolution it develops a streak of light so bright as

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walk, yet considering that they are animated with velocities 100 times as great as that of a rife bullet, it is obvious that they would render a, residence on the earth highly dangerous. On the moon, for instance, where there is no protecting atmosphere to reduce the missiles to streaks of harmless various thus serve as a screen the On the moon, for Instance, where there is no protecting atmosphere to reduce the missiles to streaks of harmless vapor and thus serve as a screen, the blows given to the plains and mountains must be terrific. For it should be noted in this connection, that the efficiency of a missile in delivering a blow is to be measured, not merely by its velocity, but by the square of its velocity. It follows that in comparing the destruction which could be wrought by a meteor with that effected by a rifle bullet of the same weight, we may say that the former must be 10,000 times as much as the latter, if we assume, as we have been doing in this article, that the yelocity of the celestial missile is 100 times that which we can produce by our rifles. This consideration ought to make us more heartily appreciate the benefits we derive from the kindly screen which the atmosphere provides. Indeed, in one way it may be regarded as fortunate for our safety that these meteors do move so rapidly. If they entered our atmosphere with a speed no greater than that of a rifle bullet, the heat developed would not be sufficient to dissipate them, and consequently they would reach the earth in a solid condition, retaining the capacity for doing no little mischief. It is, in fact, the very frenzy of these little objects which is the source of our security. They are, so to speak, in such a terrible hurry to get at us that they become dissolved into streaks of harmless vapor.

The ancients had a very poetical conception as to the character of the shooting stars, They were supposed to be fiery arrows which the beneficent delities overhead discharged at demon. If an evil spirit were seen stealing from its legitimate province below and intruding its baleful presence on the earth, it was made the mark for one of these arrows. And as the good deities never missed their aim, each shooting star announced that there was one evil spirit less left to harass the universe.

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We expect them to appear in just the same way as we expect that fish will be caught again in the same place where fish have always been caught when the right season comes around. This is, of course, a very different matter from the prediction of an eellpse of the sun, where the movements of the three bodies concerned are subject to continuous scrutiny and perfectly well known.

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By a shower of shooting stars we mean a display in which it is not so much the individual brightness of the objects which attracts attention as the excessive numbers in which they appear. It had long been noticed that there were certain nights in the year in which meteor displays were specially manifested. The most notable dates in this connection are the 10th of August and the 13th of November. On either of these nights in almost every year the diligent watchers of the skies will be rewarded with the sight of an unusual number of these fiery darts. Even on those days, however, the display is not, generally speaking, sufficiently on those days, however, the display is not, generally speaking, sufficiently striking to excite universal astonishment. It does, however, sometimes happen that the November shower becomes a spectacle which can only be described as sublime. Many of our readers will doubtless recollect the superb display of shooting stars which took place on the 13th of November, 1866. I shall always treasure the recollection of that phenomenon as perhaps lection of that phenomenon as pe the most interesting astronomical sight that I have ever witnessed. I was at that time astronomer to the late Earl of Rosse at Parsonstown in the center of Ireland. It was then my duty to observe nebulae with the famous reflecting telescope of six feet aperture. I was engaged on the night in question, in conjunction with the present Earl of Rosse, in examining a nebula when the exclamation of an attendant by my side made me look up in time to see a exclamation of an attendant by my side made me look up in time to see a splendid shooting star, which, like a great rocket, streamed across the sky. Presently similar objects appeared in scores and hundreds, and for some hours we witnessed one of the most glorious celestial spectacles that the eye of man could ever behold. It was to be noticed that the shooting stars did not appear promiscuously from various parts of the sky. The directions in which they moved seemed to radiate from a point in the constellation of Leo. This appearance of divergence from a point is easily shown to be an effect of perspective: the meteors are, in fact, ill darting toward the earth from one direction, namely, parallel to the line from the eye to the center of the sickle-shaped part of Leo. Those particular meteors which happened to be directed

in the apparent position which they occupied. Some three or four particularly
bright meteors left long tracks behind
them, which lasted for many minutes
before they finally sank into invisibility.
As we write these lines we are reminded that the great sboal of November meteors is again hurrying toward
the junction, and that we may expect
in the year 1899 a repetition of that glorious display which so many of us
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straight toward the observer seemed so much foreshortened that they merely looked like stars which suddenly burst into brightness, and as suddenly dis-appeared, with but little or no change

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(Chicago Chronicle:) The depart-ment of pedagogy of the University of Chicago has sent out a series of questions to experienced men for the purpose of learning their opinion concerning the educational qualifications of a newspaper man. Inquiries are made concerning the value of Latin, Greek, French, German, mathematics, biology, chemistry, English and history. The question is asked as to whether a college education is essential to high success, and whether it is the amount of knowledge acquired or the discipline and control of the mind that most benefits. Experimental courses of study accompany these inquiries, intended for young men desirous of entering journalism, and criticism of these programmes is requested. men for the purpose of learning their

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Most newspaper men will respond that no one in the profession can have too much knowledge. So varied are the tasks of the newspaper man, so extraordinary the knowledge he will at times find not only useful but necessary to the presentation of his subject, so wide apart and different in degrees of civilization are the countries he may be called upon to visit in the performance of his duties, that no knowledge, ancient or modern, no language of yesterday or today, no intuition, power, training or inspiration can come amiss.

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Newspaper men will also agree in saying that a college education is not essential. There are men whom no college can educate, there are other men whom no circumstances can keep from becoming educated. Education is almost as much a matter of temperament as of opportunity, and the newspaper, man must have temperament above all things. The "sense of news" cannot cultivated.



achieved the degree of success that has already crowned her efforts had favorite with the public. how she has succeeded can be told in a few words. None of the many female stars of the present day has a longer list of warm admirers than Miss Emmett; and these have been gained by dint of perseverance, conscientious hard work and her charming personnel. No matter in what character she is seen she invests it with a charm of personal attractiveness, draws her characteriza-tion with delicate shading and infuses into the part a thorough spirit of comprehension of the author's intention, so that her performance stands out not only as a filling character, but creating Her success in "The Waifs of New York" has already stamped her as a most versatile comedienne and an artist in the highest acceptance of the term, and this will be demonstrated by those who will see her as William Rufus in her forthcoming engagement of "The Waifs of New York" at the Los Angeles Theater, which is for three nights only, commencing tommorrow evening, December 14. In this day of vaudeville, an attraction that can boas of five exceedingly strong specialties in connection with a melodrama that is in connection with a melodrama that is known from one end of the country to the other, is bound to demand attention from the theater-going public. Among the well known specialty artists in the company are Harry Weston, one of the best German dialect comedians in the country; Jenny Engel, one of Tony Pastor's favorite cards; De Arville sisters, from the Alhambra, London; Baby Isabelle, the youngest child on the stage, being only 4 years old, and merry Katle Emmett in her latest budget of songs. Miss Emmett's impersonation of Willie Rufus, a New York newsboy, is said to be a unique and distinct characterization, and one that places her at the head of her profession in this line of work.

That eminent actor, Wilton Lackaye, will present the impressive drama, "Dr. Belgraff," at the Los Angeles Theater next Thursday evening, supported by one of the most powerful dramatic organizations even seen borders.

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Wilton Lackaye obviously determined to make his debut as a star an occasion of moment. To have secured the services, as leading lady in the company, of that sterling artiste, Marie Wainwright, would have amply satisfied the public that his play, "Dr. Belgraff," would be excellently acted with the remainder of the company composed of people of average good standing on the stage. But Mr. Lackaye has actually gone further in the engagement of his support than theater-goers had any reason to expect. In fact, it is a question whether, as a business proposition, he has not gone beyond the point of prudence. Having at the outset, in planning his tour, engaged Miss Wainwright, which created more or less astonishment, he calmly selects two of Charles Frohman's former leading men in the persons of Forrest Robinson and Byron Douglas. Both of these actors have each attained enviable prominence through forceful and artistic work of the highest order of excellence.

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On Friday evening and Saturday matinée the great double bill will be presented, "Moliere" and "Captain Bob." The sale of seats opens tomorrow morning.

merry as ever, and the names that ap-pear with him in the bill give further evidence that his environment will not be wanting in anything that goes to constitute a regulation top-notch min-strel company. Indeed, it is doubtful If there were ever brought together four greater end men, for there are to be four of these jolly dispensers of mirth, than those that will appear at the Orpheum tomorrow evening. Such men as Burt Shepard, Andy Lewis and Ed Heffernan have already won laurels in this line, and are living assurances that their ends will be held up in the best approved fashion. Then there will be another old favorite, Ed Marble, who will act as interlocutor with his old-time spirit. An exceptional array of end men such as this could not fail to furnish a splendid minstrel show, but this is not all by any means. There are to be two quartettes who will intersperse a number of plantation mel dies, together with some up-to-date ton ical songs. Both quartettes have been recruited from well-known stage singers, and are said to be able to furnish the real thing in the way of darky melody. In addition to the above, the merry minstrels will be further strengthened by a well-chosen list of specialty artists, who will furnish a generous sprinkling of fun throughout the performance.

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Herr Langslow, the shooting star, will be a new attraction, and from what we hear of him, a very good one at that. His is one of those clever European noyelties that have become so prominent in vaudeville circles in this country, and will in all propability prove a great drawing card. His performance is a sensational one and will

Manager Pearson of the Burbank is a person who enters into any enterprise whole-souled. He has an army of decorators and artisans at work remoleling and redecorating and changing the interior in many ways; new carpets and curtains are being laid and hung. The walls are made brighter, and when the Burbank is opened to the public it will be one of the cosiest and brightest places of amusement on the Coast. The opening takes place on Christmas day at the afternoon matinee, which will be followed by a grand inaugural night performance. The play is from the pen of the well-known actor-author, Edwin Barbour. The title, "Land of the Midnight Sun," that great Icelandic drama which made such a successful run in New York City. He is also the author of last season's great success, "Northern Lights." From a scenic standpoint it is almost equal to a spectacular extravaganza. Manager Pearson has employed two scenic artists who will be regularly employed by him, and the scenery will be changed every week. Complete changes are to be made in stage settings, costumes and scenery for each play presented.

THE BUNCH LIGHT.

THE BUNCH LIGHT. Dr. A. Conan Doyle has written a new comedy, "The Brothers Dawson." W. S. Gilbert has completed a new play in the style of his earlier works. Mile. Rhea has had a misunderstand-ing with her managers and closed her

Genevieve Ward will play Margaret of Anjou in Sir Henry Irving's revival of "Richard III."

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Frederick Warde has been playing "Henry IV" through the South, with good returns.

Margaret Mather is to make a revival of "Cymbeline" at Wallack's, New York, in January.

Mav Irwin will produce John McNally's new comedy, "Courted in Court," this week in Omaha.

May Figman a light comedian for-

Max Figman, a light comedian, for-merly associated with Sadie Martinot, has taken to the vaudeville stage. Fanny Davenport has received a charming letter from Sardou congratuating her on her successful revival of

"Fedora."

John Drew has been distributing loving cups as souvenirs of "Rosemary,"
As a consequence there is great excitement among the matinée girls.
Oscar Hammerstein savs that the Olympia, New York, must take in \$11,000 a week before it pays a profit. Hence the recent rush of his legal troubles.

Actors savs it is

Actors says it is a neck-and-neck race between Richard Mansfield and E. H. Sothern for the distinction of being the most unreasoning despot on the American stage.

Ted D. Marks, Yvette Guilbert's manager, has begun an action against a cigarette trust for using a copyright photograph of the French comedienne for advertising purposes.

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The Bostonians are rehearsing a new opera by Victor Herbert and Harry B. Smith called "The Queen of the Buccaneers.' It will be produced in Washington next month.

Nancy Gibson, who will be seen as Lady Olivia Vernon in Mme. Rhea's production of "Nell Gwynne," is a Boonville, Mo., girl, who has had several years' experience on the stage.

Charles E. Blaney's latest play and his first departure from farce comedy, entitled "The Electrician," is a comedydrama in four acts, in which the author deals with accidents, insurance, elec-

deals with accidents, insurance, elec-tricity and the gold mines of Cripple Creek.

Nothing has pleased theatrical folks so much in a very long time as the emphatic and effectual manner in which Lona Barrison was "turned down" in her attempt to seek advertising and notorlety by riding at the Horse Show in New York.

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Frederick Warde has in active preparation a play by W. D. Eaton entitled "Iskander." It is in part adapted from a story of d'Israell called "The Rise of Iskander," and deals with the liberation of Greese from the Turkish rule in the early part of the fifteenth century.

a little girl.

A testimonial performance is to be giver, to Rose Coghlan at the Broadway Theater on December 11. Special features will be the appearance of H. Beerbohm Tree and his company in the second act of Trilby, and Richard Mansfield in his clever monologue. Other volunteers are John Drew, Maude Adams, Viola Allen, E. H. Sothern, William Gillette and the Lyceum Company.

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After this season Fanny Davenport will say farewell to the Sardou plays. Her next season will be devoted to an American drama which was written specially for her. She states that it is in every way equal to anything Sardou ever wrote, and she will give it as elaborate a production as she did "Gismonda." Not even the name of the author is known by Miss Davenport's most intimate friends.

Richard Harlow, "the daisy Queen of Spain" in "1492," has been tempted, after months of resistance, to enter vaudeville at the Pleasure Palace December 14, when he will appear in a new sketch, first personating a young bachelor swell and later a stunning woman of fashion. The sketch has been written by Walter Pelham, the veteran entertainer, and the music is by William Furst.

Frank Perley has signed a contract

country, and will in all probability prove a great drawing card. His performance is a sensational one and will doubfless prove very diverting.

Miss Ellen Vetter is another novelty artist, and has something new with which to astonish and amuse. She is published as the fairy of the mysterious globe. Concealed in a large sphere, she ascends and descends a spiral track, seemingly without any motor power. Her specialty is said to be one of the cleverest delusions ever presented on the stage.

The remainder of the bill includes Burt Shepard, with a fresh fund of funds interpreted by a "niggah:" Lewis and Elliott in a breezy comedy sketch; Abachi and Masaud, the two sensational acrobats and hand-balancers; Ed Heffernan, who will unfold a fat budget of Irish humor, and the Morrells in a new skit replete with taking specialties.

This is by all odds the biggest bill ever presented by the Orpheum, and it

da," "Macbeth," and "Adrienne."
Charles Frohman has released the services of Joseph Haworth as leading man for the tour. Modjeska's physicians say that she is now in periect health, and if she stands the work of this brief tour a full season will be booked for her by Mr. Perley, commencing next fall.

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Sir Henry Irving celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of the first presentation of "The Bells" with a performance of that piece at the Lyceum. He used for a curtain-raiser "Journey's End in Lovers' Meeting," the little thing by John Oliver Hobbes that was done in New York last season. "The Bells" drew an immense audience, with so many who could not get in that the performance was repeated.

Paul Kester, the young playwright, who wrote for Alexander Salvini "Zamar," "The Heir of Grammont," "The Student of Lancaster," and "The Last of the Moors," has written for Mile. Rhea a new play which is called "The Lady of the Violets." It has to do with French history, and, while it is written in a romantic style, it 'a imbued with comedy of the very nighest order. The play willi be produced shortly after the holidays and will be a fitting companion to her present judention by the same author, "Nell Gwynne."

Here's another convert to the continuous habit. Miss Sibyl Johnstone, who once made such a hit as the undraped statue in "The Clemenceau Case" that the fire brigade had to be ordered out to quench the enthusiasm, has signed a contract to appear at Proctor's Pleasure Palace. But it is pleasant to know that under the new auspices Miss Johnstone's draperies will be almost as continuous as her performance. In fact, to quote the exact words of Manager Price, Miss Johnstone will appear in a \$1000 gown and a twenty-five-minute sketch, both cut high in the neck and essentially proper.

One night in a town on the Kapase.

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One night in a town on the Kansas circuit that Richard Mansfield toured over earlier in the season it happened that the performance took place in a theater which had a tin roof, on which the rain began to fall in torrents, says the Commercial Advertiser. There was a roar as of small arms, and Mansfield was distinctly annoyed, and when Mansfield is annoyed the morning stars stop their chanting in the interstellar depths to listen. Tommy, the boy who has been with the actor for the past seven or eight years, was summoned. "Tommy," said Mr. Mansfield, as he was in one of his rarely playful moods, "Tommy, have that rain stopped." Now Tommy believes it is his mission on earth to see his superior's orders obeyed, and, with his usual official face he went to the front of the house and startled the people in authority there by calling out: "Mr. Mansfield wants that rain stopped. It's annoying him, and it's got to be done, see?" Every effort was made to stop the rain.

CORSETS.

Their Value in Preserving the Figure,

The New School of Dancers Have Discarded Stays ... The Old School Cling to Bandages.

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.) LEASE tell me what kind of cor-

LEASE tell me what kind of cor-sets you wear, and how it is that you can perform your difficult feats laced in as you appear to be at the waist," I asked a premiere danseuse the other day.

"Mais oui, Madam," was the perfectly civil reply. And then in a queer mix-

ture of French and English she pro-ceeded to enlighten me. It seems that dancers of this class wear corsets, very stiff and well-boned, made to fit very close over waists and hips, but leaving abundant breathing space above the waist line. A tight corset is hooked around them and then always drawn together until it fully meets at the back. The hips and abdomen are then tightly bandanged so at the waist and below all is as compact as it can be made, leaving as much freedom as pos-

grins in Jack and the Beanstaik are to be reupholistered every thirty days by a New York firm."

Adelaide Herrmann is about to introduce another new dance. It is called "La Danse des Nuages," and Mme. Herrmann will appear to be rolling in clouds, which will turn around above and below her, seeming to carry her with them, or scurrying past while she remains immovable.

Milton Nobles has completed another new drama, which he has not yet named. The first act is located at an English country seat, the remaining acts at Miles City, Mont. The coloring is local, the treatment almost pastoral. All of the principal characters are types whose duplicates Mr. Nobles has met and studied during his many Western tours.

Mrs. Langtry's young lady daughter is said to be attracting a good deal of attention in London, since she bids to out-beauty beauty's self. We have been considerably the reverse of slender. "What do you do in the way of diet and exercise to keep yourself the favorite of the public as you are?" "Nothing yet," she replied, "though out of regard to my figure I ought to begin to do so. But I am extremely susceptible to all sorts of psychic influences. Noises irritate me. I don't know why. Voices that I hear, faces that I meet often affect me to the point of quivering, I don't know why. Indeed, my nerves are so sensitive that they need their rapid waste repaired by the most nourishing food. I dare not diet, though I have little use for the needless bread, potatoes and sweets. As for exercise, what I most need when my work is done is rest. rest!"

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INCOMPATIBLE WITH GRACE. Miss Isabel Jones, the pretty leader of the dance in the Geisha, says: "No,

Miss Isabel Jones, the pretty leader of the dance in the Geisha, says: "No, I couldn't do my work comfortably in a corset. I wear a simple unboned waist, and so do the other girls so far as I know. In our pretty Japanese robes the figure is not too evident anyway, and we can throw ourselves into so much prettier noses and move so much more gracef lily wit hall the muscles of the body perfectly free.

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UNCORSETED LITERATURE.

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stance, of the pressure of Mrs. Burnett's corsets while "on parade." But no sooner is the cosy den reached than off comes waist, corset and petticoat, and on goes the long chemise and a trailing mother hubbard of India silk, fluffly trimmed about neck and shoulders, from which the body of the gown falls free and unconfined. This is the costume in which she invariably works. "If you have any influence, why do you not use it in perpetual advocacy of Empire gowns?" said a noted literary woman the other day. "That's what I am going to do as soon as I finish the book I am at present at work upon. Thanks to rowing at Wellesley as longago as "5 and "16, I have a band of muscle about the waist that keeps me well set up without any artificial support. Put the most inspired literary man of the day finto a corset and tight waist and ask him to write an article, and what do you think you would get? No! The brain can't be so fed and nourished as to produce anything vital when the organs of the body are cramped and fettered. M. D.

Farewell to the "Call,"

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(San Francisco Examiner:) We are sorry to see that our last ally among the morning papers of San Francisco in the fight against monopoly has gone over to the enemy. The Call has given many evidences of late that it is striving for the favor of Huntington. No doubt it is accustoming itself to the service that will be required of it if the eastern trip of Mr. Mills proves successful.

Thatcher of minstrel fame, who was for years associated with Primrose & West, in one of the largest organizations of the country, the Orpheum will exploit Mr. Thatcher as one of its brightest luminaries during the week beginning tomorrow night. This burnt-cork comedian is one of the brightest luminaries during the bottom of the Casino programme: "The joilliest jokers and primest favorites of the minstrel stage, and he is sure to gain a warm welcome from the functored or humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of humor is proverbial. We are given assurance that Thatcher is one of the Casino programme in the liberation of Greese from the Turkish rule in the liberation of Greese from the Turkish rule in the liberation of Greese from the Turkish rule in the liberation of Greese from the Turkish rule in the liberation of Greese from the Turkish rule in the liberation of Greese from the flucture disparced that this very lightness gave one a singular sense of springiness and buoyancy that in itself induced the desire to dance, and as the successful.

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We only hope, in that case, that the mission of Mr. Mills may be successful, and that the Call may come out openly as Mr. Huntington's private organ. The Record-Unions do no marrh; it is only treachery, not the straightforward work of the rallroad's recognized staff employé, that can injure the public interests.

THEY KNOW.

Opinions of Some Skillful Chicago Physicians.

The new article now being used in place of coffee has made many friends, and it may interest these friends and others to know the opinion of some of the well-known physicians of Chicago on the subject. The following are extracts from a few of their letters, now on file in the office of the Postum Cereal Co., Lim., at Battle Creek, Mich.:

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Dr. Archibald Church, attending physician to St. Luke's Hospital, professor of nervous diseases, Chicago Polyclinic and Home for Crippled Children, Pullman building, Chicago, in a letter to the Postum Cercal Ca, Lim., Battle Creek, Mich.: "I have made a trial of Postum and think it will serve admirably as a substitute for coffee for those who are accustomed to use sugar in that beverage."

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Miss Mary Allen, whose parents reside at 184 Pasadena Avenue, Pasadena, and who attends the Garfield School says: "I had Catarrh of the head and throat since I was two years old. My symptoms became very much aggravated last August, my throat clogged up, my nose freely discharged, mucus, and could not sleep. I lost fiesh rapidly. I began treatment with Dr. Shores last September, and have gained 12 pounds and all disagreeable symptoms have disappeared rapidly under treatment, I can fully indorse Dr. Shores treatment from my experience".

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What Joseph Shank Says of Dr. Shores' Treatment,

Joseph Shank, a carpenter living at Cevina for four years, who is 49 years old, says: "I had not been able to work for six months before I consuited Dr. Shores. I had kidney liver and stomach trouble and nervous debility. I used to take me thee hours to rius in to the city on my bicycle, and I was played out. Now I can ride in it two hours and fee fine. I have gained ten pounds and my general system has been built up wonderfully, consider Dr. Shores' treatment simply wonderful. I never felt better in my life than do now."

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The Alabaster Cruse

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There came unto him a woman having an alabaster cruse of exceeding precious ointment, and poured upon his head. . . And anointed his feet and wiped his feet with her hair; and the house was filled with the odor of the ointment.—(Matthew xxvi, 7; John xii, 3. THE woman was Mary, the sister

of Martha and Lazarus. With woman's self-denying affection she loved Jesus, and, therefore, more clearly than most of his disciples, com-prehended his mission and sympathized in his work.

occasion was "six days before the Passover," or the Sabbath before that Sunday on which our Lord made his triumphal entry into Jerusalem. It was the Saturday previous to the

Certain scholarly criticism argues that Jesus expected to escape from the death-snare of the temple offi-cials, inasmuch as he arranged that after Passover He and the disciples should separate, and He would meet them in Galilee. But Mark and Matthew agree in recording that Jesus ex pected to die and be raised up again. He mentioned this to the disciples, but since His death implied the downfall of their hopes of earthly glory, they refused to take His meaning literally.

Mary, however, loved and believed
him. To her He was the Christ fore-

told in the scriptures—the righteous One who would lay down His life to save God's people, to turn away His anger and to make the children of Abraham the divine nation. For some time she had realized that He must die. At great cost she had obtained a cruse of most precious perfumed water to use when His dead body should be embalmed, and every time she looked upon the carefully-sealed treasure tears would fill her eyes and a deep sigh escape her heart. The idea of His resurrection had not entered her mind; Paradise was the only place where she might hope to see the Beloved One again. At great cost she had obtained a cruse

when, therefore, she heard from Jesus that His death would be crucifixion, she saw there might be no opportunity afforded her of caring for His dead body, and determined to show her reverential love by doing this act of kindness during His life. Accordingly, after she had helped to get the meal ready in the house of her neighbor, Simon, and the meal being ended, she broke the seal of the cruse and "poured upon His head." The she anointed with tender care those feet that the nalls were soon to pierce, her tears, perhaps, seen only by Him, also dropping where the nailst would be; and she wiped His feet with her hair, which, being loose, concealed her face from the others. Her implicit faith and the tenderness of the act greatly touched Jesus. When, therefore, she heard from Jesus

creeds and bells—or to these latter for the sake of Christ and humanity.

Every self-denial to bless a human being, especially one we know; every act of virtue to carry a physical blessing to children who shall not only have bodies, but also inherit us; every deed of righteous benevolence to the suffering; every merciful forgiveness to one who has done wrong and is penitent; every effort to copy the spirit of Christ and to mold our disposition after Hisany and all of these gracious endeavors shall be an everlasting perfume in earth and heaven.

Evil, selfishness, is like an offensive cancer which destroys itself; but virtue, righteousness and goodness are immortal.

mmortal.

Let us be willing to learn that the paradise of bliss is to be, like Mary's alabaster curse,

Broken—that so unhindered
His life through us may flow.

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Religious Thought and Progress in the United States.

Epitome of the Sermons of the Week Delivered by Leading Clergymen, Priests and Prelates.

(COMPILED FOR THE TIMES)

ORK FOR WOMEN. To woman has dawned the era of an honor-orable independence. The door of hororableself-support has opened o her .- (Rev. J. S. Montgomery, Metho

dist, Toledo, O.

THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC. I recog nize the enormity of the liquor traffic recognize all the baneful effects of it If I could blot it out by laying down my life at this moment, I would do it.-(Rev. C. A. Barbour, Baptist, Roches-

THE DEVIL. The idea of the devil may be traced to the same source from which springs the idea of equality in all things—the immeasurable, the unknow-able, the infinite.—(Dr. J. D. Buck

Theosophist, Cincinnati, O.
GENIUS. What is genius? It is extraordinary capacity for labor. The great prizes of life are won only by exhausting and long-continued prodigious capacity for work is genius. -(Rev. W. G. Partridge, Baptist, Cin-

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HEAVEN. When we think of the vastness of the universe and of the impurity of this world we long for a place where our hopes and plans will reach fruition, a place of everlasting joy, peace and felicity. (Rev. R. F. Maclaren, Presbyterian, San José, Cal.

SELFISHNESS. The miser, whether it be of money or of any other powers, dwindles and becomes dwarfed. The injury done to one's own nature by isolation and withholding from his fellow-creatures is beyond calculation.—(Rabbi Phillpson, Hebrew, Cincinnati, O. RULES. Some men have family prayers and are as regular at church as the janitor. The keeping of a lot of rules is not absolute proof of love to God or man. The people who crucified Christ had plenty of rules and kept them.—(Rev. M. W. Reed, Independent, Denver, Colo.

CUBA. It is not only an honor, but it is a privilege to die for our country or for our religion. The Cuban patriots who were slain in the struggle for freedom will be honored and revered as long as speech continues to be a feature of human characteristics.—(Rev. Ernest Lyon, Methodist, New York City.

benefactor.—(Rabbi Moses, Hebrew, Louisville, Ky.

RICH AND POOR. In all ages there has been hatred between the rich and the poor. Jesus Christ will yet lay one hand upon the shoulder of Dives and one hand upon the shoulder of Lazadone hand upon the shoulder of

become a field of blood, in which priestcraft, saloons, misrule, atheism, infidelity, anarchy, monopoly, capitalism, pauperism, laziness socialism and crime will take part. There will be sreat struggles between great armies, and only the Omnipotent can tell what the political complexion will be a hundred years hence.—(Rev. W. W. Case, Methodist, San Francisco.

THE DIVINITY OF CHRIST. Where shall we find the proof of the divinity of Christ? He performed miracles, raising the dead, restoring sight to the blind, giving intellect to the dumb, and making the lame walk, all of which could only be performed by one who could suspend the laws of nature. The mission of the church and the mission of Christ are inseparable, and it must be holy by reason of its founder and of its purpose.—(Rev. Father O'Sullivan, Roman Catholic, Denver, Colo.

CLERGYMEN. The vocation of the minister is from God, but the avocation is simply a method of making a 'ivelihood. The perils of this country 'odday is that faith in the church is hrinking, and this is, in the first lace, the fault of the ministers. There is a kind of Jesuitism in the Protestint churches as shrewd and false as my that was ever charged upon the 'ollowers of Ignatius Loyola. If a minister dares to speak out the church machine fires him.—(John G. Wooley, Probibitioniet, Boston, Mass.

REVIVALS. A revival immiles religious declension and is itself such a raking up and intensifying of the pelicious declension and is itself such a raking up and intensifying of the pelicious declension and is itself such a raking up and intensifying of the pelicious declension and is itself such a raking up and intensifying of the pelicious declension and is itself such a raking up and intensifying of the pelicious declension and is itself such a raking up and intensifying of the pelicious declension and is itself such a raking up and intensifying of the pelicious declension and is itself such a raking up and intensifying of the pelicious declension and is itself such a raking up and the pel

Pev. J. W. Marshall, Methodist, Cam-

en, N. J. MUSIC. Music probably makes MUSIC. Music probably makes a nore universal appeal to the sense of he beautiful in men than any other of the arts. The uncultivated man who unite misses the beauty of a fine picture renerally feels the charm of good music. It may be due to this fact that music takes precedence of every other art in the Bible. Beauty and truthrun side by side through all its pages and the character which it holds up to men is one in which they are insepartily blended together.—(Rev. C. T. Brown, Congregationalist, Salt Lake City, Utah.

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THE CATHOLIC CHURCH. Do you
the Catholic Church seek beauty? In the Catholic Church vou find its loveliest forms. Do you seek truth? There you find its clear-est accents. Do you seek power? By divine right and with sublime majesty divine right and with sublime majesty the exercises and perpetuates a dominion that is heaven-born. Do you seek liberty? There you find the liberty of the very children of God. There you find the very essence of men's birthright. There you find the divine rirtue of faith in God's revelations; hope in His mercy, and love for His incarnate divinity—(Rev. J. C. Cary, Roman Catholic, Philadelphia, Pa.

SPREADING THE GOSPEL. Our age, marked by an unprecedented ex-

Side by side with great levity we find videspread melancholy. Yet there is also an observable reaching out for the Christ of the gospels and for those

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GENEROSITY.

Bab on Appropriate Christmas Gifts.

About Noah's Ark and Its Original Occupants-Where the Book-lover Gets His Innings.

(FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.) NEW YORK, Dec. 7, 1896.—There is nothing quite so beautiful just now as the shops. It doesn't make any difference whether you are rich or poor, indeed, you can be a beggar, though they do object to you being a thief; that is, if you are pursuing your avocation. But anybody, that is, any honest body, can feast her eyes on all the lovely Christmas things, and in one way she will own them just as much as the richest lady in the land. There is something fine in being able to enjoy without possessing. I cannot understand, though, how any woman, with a little money to spare, can go into the toy shops and come EW YORK, Dec. 7, 1896.—There is woman, with a little money to spare, can go into the toy shops and come out without buying some trifle to make glad somebody's child. There are dolls of all degrees offered to the doll-lover—there's the wonderful French doll, whose face has a haughty expression, who is a recomplished that she can cry like a real baby, speak like a parrot, and waltz with the exactness of a machine. It is true that, unlike real ladies when she dances, she furnishes her own music! Whisper it no in Gath, but when she moves around to the tune of "the Beautiful Blue Danube," the tiny music-box is con-cealed under her lace-trimmed petti-

DOLLS FOR RICH AND POOR.

Then there are less expensive dolls, real baby dolls, dressed in long clothes and reclining carriages, with doll nurses, standing beside them; there are little girl dolls, gowned in short frocks, and having tennis racquets in their hands, and there are lady dolls in long-trained dresses, who loll on easy chairs of gilt upholstered in satin. There is a bride doll, too, with a smirking bridegroom, and the bride looks so modest and the groom so happy that I am certain that last night, while all the world slept, the dolls came to life, and there was a really and truly wedding formed in the doll shop. There is everything to make a doll happy. A closely-curtained brass bed of the right size, in which she may dream; a china bath the in which she may dream; a china bath DOLLS FOR RICH AND POOR. in which she may dream; a china bath tub, in which she may take her morning bath and preserve her complexion, while for this purpose there is a special soan warranted not to injure the cial soap warranted not to injure most delicate doll's skin! Surely, very height of luxury in dolls has reached, and yet—and yet—how often is a child happy with an old maimed doll, loved not for its beauty, but for

THE HEART OF LOUISE LA VAL-LIERE.

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There is a picture of her as Diana, and of that haughty beauty Montespan as Iris. Then, too, there is a picture of Louis, the warrior, dressed in armor, ready for the battle. Oh, the book is full of pictures! There is one of Anne of Austria and her children, one of a lady of the day as she sat at her toliet table, one of the fushionable ball, and no end of clever caricatures, those caricatures that floated around Paris and which the police seized with anger. Way in the back of the book is a picture of De Maintenon, dignified and stern-looking, and having the school of St. Cyr as her background. No fancy costune for the woman who ruled the king and the state, no frivolty for the woman who foresaw and dreaded what came to France. No; her brain was so much stronger than that of the average woman that even in her picture she could not pose as they did. The name of it? I like to tell the name of this book because it is translated, and that really means that it is almost written by a woman.

A VALUABLE BOOK.

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written by a woman.

A VALUABLE BOOK.

It's worth while saving your money to get it—I am beginning to accumulate the pennies in a little tin box—then when you have a sufficient number of ducats ask for "France Under Louis XIV." by Emile Bourgeois, and translated by Mrs. Cashel Hoey. One thing this book will do for you, it will knock out of your head, as it has out of the heads of a good many people, the idea that because men were very stately in those days, and wore stiff wigs, that there was not a merry life and much enjoyment.

There is one illustration that convinces me that those days were not as comfortable as our own. The picture is one of a bedroom—the robm is absolutely bare save for a few stately chairs and magnificent pictures, the bed is huge and funeral-looking, and the general sensation of whoever slept in that room must have been that the cold, cold tomb had been offered for a night's repose. We may be less dignified nowadays—we are. We may have worse manners nowadays—we have. Our men may dress uglier nowadays—they do. Our women may be less beautiful—I doubt this.

A GREWSOME TAPESTRY.

A GREWSOME TAPESTRY. A GREWSOME TAPESTRY.

But one thing I am sure of, and that is that the average bedroom of today, with its brass bedstead, daintily draped; its comfortable lounge, its pretty toilet table, its easy chairs, its even warmth, and the hundred and one odd things that go to make it desirable, is far and away ahead of the stately bedchamber in which anything feminine must have felt trightened out of its wits, and had dreams that were of its wits, and had dreams that wer ghastly. Do you remember that the first night that Marie Antoinette slept in France her room was hung with tapestry representing the "massacre of the innocents"? That shows how much though was given to the surrounding

though was given to the surroundings where one slept.

It would be a good thing if we had the manners of the old time; we might with advantage copy the virtues of the vast, but do not let any of us be deuded into bringing into fashion the frightfully bare bedroom in which unfortunate queens and equally unfortunate ladies of the nobility had to sleep. If that had been my fate I should have stayed up all night and slept in a chair. Nothing would have gotten me into ONE OF THOSE AWFUL BEDS

ONE OF THOSE AWFUL BEDS ONE OF THOSE AWFUL BEDS big enough to conceal two or three assassins, and cold enough looking to freeze an Eskimo, unless I had been promised that the whole court would sit around me and cheer me up. Those beds invited murder. I imagine that anybody sleeping in one wanted to kill somebody else to get a little heated up. Really and truly, there are inanimate things that invite crime. There was a woman the other night at the theater who wore a hat—but that's another story.

There are some of the most delight ful little French calendars—just the right size for one's purse or card case, exhibited this Christmas. If you feel exhibited this Christmas. If you feel tempted to give anybody a Christmas card send one of these instead. One year I had one and while I possessed it I always dated my letters correctly and kept my engagements. This year if I don't get one I shall buy one. You see, I am hoping that one will be put in my stocking with some other things. I want a lot of books and a Noah's Ark; I want a woolly dog, and a new brooch; I want a bonnet brush and a bottle of I want a woolly dog, and a new brooch:
I want a bonnet brush and a bottle of
mucilage: I want a lot of sweets and a
new purse; I want a bunch of violets,
and—well, I want so many things that
I shall take great pleasure in looking
at them in the shop windows. I have
learned the delight of admiring without
possessing—take my advice and learn
the same lesson, for then you can have
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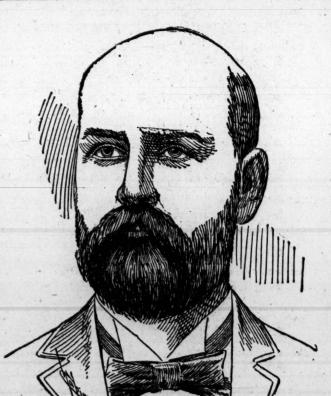
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HEY are mostly made in Germany if it's the pictures that are popular with the greatest number of people you are asking about," said communicative art dealer. "Fif-years ago the French and Ameriartists rather controlled the market and the pictures that sold the best were engravings to one class of art lovers, while colored plates, produced by various lithographic processes, were the most extensively purchased. One of the leading engravings of that time was Delaroche's tryptich, 'The Prodi-

No bride thought it worth while set-ting up housekeeping unless she had that special picture to hang over her parior mantel, while every well regu-lated household boasted at least a cou-ple of Strane's heads in rustic wood frames, and the next ambition of every woman, whose soul yearned after art, was to possess a colored copy of Guido's "Beatrice Cenci." After these three prime favorites we always found good sale for engravings of statesmen and colored plates of "The Rock of Ages," "Clinging to the Cross," "The Soldier's Return," and a score more brilliant lithographs from .American and English originals. Now, however, it is only in the very



WOMEN ADORE SENTIMENT.

Good, inexpensee photographic processes and the enormous reduction of late years in the price of etchings, has done the work of educating the public's art instinct, which I will c nfess is usually found at its best among women. They are very apt to decide what is to be used in decorating the house walls, and it is only natural their

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fickle fancy. There is one point, however, that all women are firm on. They won't buy nudes. Only about one out of seventy-five ventures on such a purchase, and then the boldest lady is apt to select something boasting considerable drapery like Paul Thou-



ground a bit and his last success is "Judith." She is also a prime family favorite, but if there is any picture that can be safely said to hold today the place once occupied by the Cenci, it is Riicher's "Queen Louise." It is not, as you perhaps know, a portrait of that famous lady at all, but the art-

positively won't consider anything

distinctly melancholy subject. They positively won't consider anything they think is and or tragical. A shipwreck, or battle view, the Princess in the Tower, or Mary Stuart hearing her sentence read, make no appeal to the popular heart, while any new light on a pair of lovers always catches the fancy. But in all this wide field of picture-making not a single American's name appears. Of the classic masters Leonardo da Vinci is the leader and "Mona Lisa," the picture most frequently asked for, while among Englishmen Sir Frederic Leighton is by far the most popular.

Oh. I can't tell you how to account for that, only the big public itself knows. No more can I discover the cause of the favor etchings find among all classes, save that etch ngs are cheap and they certainly are always highly refined. A very lovely etching can be had for \$1.50 these days, while five years ago a good proof easily brought \$25. That is all because of the new inexpensive processes of reproducing thousands, instead of a few dozens from one plate, and it is guarantee of improved taste in art that etchings always find a profitable market. They also are rated as capital Christmas gifts, and here you see is the new method of framing, bent black iron, for this year's Christmas trade, and perhaps you will notice that silt mats and the sort of gorgeous molding, so acceptable not long since, has been set aside, for in every respect the public sentiment in art is on the steady move upward.

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THE STORY OF THE MINE. By Charles Howard Shinn. (New York: D. Appleton & Co.) THOSE who have always known Mr.

Shinn as an agriculturist in his offi-cial capacity as an inspector of ex-perimental stations, will be sur-prised to find him traveling in strange prised to find him traveling in strange company. His present work is one of a series which will go to make up the story of the West. As the title indi-cates, the historical side is the one chiefly dwelt upon by Mr. Shinn, and in this he labors under a disadvantage, for most of the ground has been pretty thoroughly plowed by Lord, Church, e and other geological survey One who knows what deep plowing the survey does can see in Mr. Shinn's work the marks of their old furrows. Still, the matter presented is in a form more readily accessible than heretofore. The author is probably a little mistaken in his estimate of some of the leading spirits of Comstock days—strict moralists would not, perhaps, credit them so strongly. A few haps, creuit them so strongly. A tew technical misstatements have crept in; for the Eureka "mine" is undoubtedly meant "mill." Even a metallurgist so gifted as Prof. Christy, to whom Mr. Shinn acknowledges his indebtedness,

never again emerge from the shadow of reminiscence. CURIOUS PUNISHMENTS OF BY-GONE DAYS. By Alice Morse Earle. (Chicago: H. S. Stone & Co.) Amusement and indignation struggle with each other in reading of the ignominious reproofs administered in the old blue-book days, for all sorts of trifling, as well as serious, offenses. A curious penology was that of our Puritan fathers, with no redeeming features for its victims—no newspaper interviews, no flowers. There is nothing so well calculated to kill the pride of ancestry as the accurate statement of facts which have to do with every-day relations and modes of life. One wonders what posterity will say of us, who, as Mrs. Earle says, "have had to form powerful societies and associations to prevent cruelty—not to hardened and vicious criminals, but to faithful animals and innocent children." One regrets having been born so soon. Mrs. Earle's authorities for her books are mainly old court records, newspapers and the like, the quaint extracts from which have an interest aside from their subject. Folk Lore.

TALES OF LAUGUEDOC. By Samuel Jacques Brun. (San Francisco: Wil-liam Doxey. For sale by C. C. Par-

The ever-beautiful and poetic South of France has furnished to one of its sons the material for this book of legends; rather, it has furnished the legends themselves without calling on nineteenth-century fancy to adorn them. Tales of magic, of bravery and of stupendous strength have passed for generations from father to son, as the family gathered about the wide chimney-place. Now, in a strange land and in a strange tongue, some of these traditions appear in a form which will make them more permanent and secure. We can fancy the French of these tales to be quaintly charming, but our American idioms gambol somewhat clumsily in the midst of fanciful conceptions. So far, however, as a translation may supply the original, Mr. Brun has been happily successful. The general form is finely literary, and the style such as will command for these Provencal traditions a place with the best of literary folk-lore. What awkwardnesses there are come from the inherent difficulty of describing customs, places and things of one country in terms of another. Aside from the book's literary appeal, the adventures are such as children will read breathlessly, and Mr. Piexotto's drawings go far in the making of a delightful volume.

For the Children.

ALADDIN AND THE WONDERFUL LAMP. (New York: George D. Hurst.) The ever-wonderful lamp of the equally-wonderful Aladdin is as cred-yearly received now as in older days ulously received now as in older days, and will certainly continue to be so received as long as child nature remains the same. The series in which this story is issued includes many of the old household tales, all ilustrated in a fashion to suit the small reader. THE COLUMBIAN PRIZE CHARADES. By Herbert Ingalls. (Boston: Lee & Shenard)

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People who are good at guessing will
njoy these puzzling little charades, emoy these puzzing ittle charades, which Mr. Ingalls has put into clever verse. They are an excellent memory tax, calling for a mustering up of all the varied information one's reading NINETY-NINE WOOLFS. From

ruth. (New York: Truth Company, Publishers.)
This little volume contains a charming collection of Mr. Woolf's delightful humorous and pathetic sketches, through which he has become so well known to the American public. There is a whole volume or paties in the of them, and others are full of humor

and touch the springs of laughter which cannot be suppressed. How much there is sometimes in a picture. PRANG'S HOLIDAY PUBLICATIONS. Christmas Cards, Books and Booklets, Photo-Color Prints, Calendars, etc. (Boston: L. Prang & Co.

& Co. Prang & Co. are well known through out the country for the superior excellence of their work and for the holiday season this year they have a choice collection of artistic treasures. Among the sumptuous calendars issued for 1897 are the Bicycle calendar, with for 1897 are the Bicycle calendar, with five large plates after water colors by Charles Copeland, in which the bicycle is introduced; the -Poster calendar, has five elaborate plates illustrating the season, after drawings by Louis J. Rhead, reproduced in true poster style; "Violet Time," a calendar in which violets are gracefully distributed on four plates, each of which has a calendar for three months. The many other calendars are equally charming, and the floral Christmas cards are gems of artistic loveliness. One feature of these productions is their thoroughly American character, the designing, lithographing and printing being done in this country.

The National Magazine is charmingly illustrated and filled with interesting contributions, the leading one of which is from the pen of Dallas Love Sharp, and is entitled "Christ, and His Time." It was begun in the November issue, and never before has there been brought together in any one treatment of the subject so many illustrations instructive to the eye, or an account of the world's noblest personality so attractively written and interesting. It evidences a vast amount of research, and makes us for the time being participators in the life of that period so simply and naturally is the story told, and the humanity of Christ presented, as well as thecharacteristics of the others who are associated with the story. The fiction, poetry and descriptive articles will all commend themselves to the reader's attention.

The Land of Sunshine begins with the December issue the sixth volume. It attracts the reader by the originality of its character, the charm of its illustrations, and the vigorous and direct manner in which its themes are handled. "The Best Blanket in the World" is the ninth article in the series under the general head of "The Southwestern Wonderland," by Charles F. Lummis, and it is a story well told, of a most interesting section of which the world knows little. The poetry of the number is excellent, and in the various articles there is much of local interest, which will, however, be attractive to readers everywhere.

The State's Duty is a publication which is issued monthly at St. Louis, and devoted to consistent education, legislation and labor, for the elevation of dependent and homeless classes. Among the topics treated in the present issue are: "Unbalanced People, or the Social Law of Self-Control," by Dr. F. H. Wines; "Tramps, or Dependents With no Legal Residence," by E. Farmer. Cher subjects considered are, "Siberia's Great Railroad;" "The Vast Wealth in Trees;" "Our Forests Are Life Preservers," etc. The issuewill appeal to its thoughtful and philanthropic readers.

The Western Monthly is a h

"American Women in Art," by Arthur Hoeber; "Government by Injunction," by Gov. John P. Altgeld, and the "Cosey Corner in the Home," by Edward Dawson, are timely and interesting. Of the four pieces of music, "Absence," (song without words,) by Theodore F. Morse, is a gem. Edward Holst's gavotte, "Under the Mistletoe," is excellent, as are both songs by Raymond A. Browne and Charles Graham. Three stories by Robert Barr, George C. Jenks and Nella H. Chapman, are not only readable but of stirring interest. (New York: Howley, Haviland & Co.)

The Chap Book is outgrowing its name. So forceful and positive an artistic and critical influence is it becoming that it stands for a serious literary fact. Everything in the first December number is good. From his abun-

ing that it stands for a serious literary fact. Everything in the first December number is good. From his abundant stock of everything in the story line, Frankfort Moore produces a niquant little sketch in which the dialogue is of the brightest. A sympathetic and understanding estimate of Richard le Gallieune is by Clarence

Fresh Literature,

Rook, but sadly enough, those things do not carry conviction, except to those who already think with the critic. The heavy platitudinous articles of certain journals and reviews, gets a sharp dose from the "Notes," which certainly in their own paragraphs give a wide berth to the faults they combat with such bristling energy.

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Like nothing else under the heavens still the Lark seems to be happy without others of its kind. It continues to disport itself and to draw occasional recruits, who, like the new Japanese poet, Yone Noguchi, are sufficiently saturated with oddity to suit the Lark's needs. Gelett Burgess knows no limits to his imagination, as his "Impossible Epic" of December 1 will testify, and apparently the Japanese poet will rival him, though his point of vantage shows the dun-colored side of the cloud which one could never imagine that Burgess ever knew anything but the most riotous joy, if one judged him by his contributions to the literature of distorted fancy. "The Bon Quart d'Heure" is spent with a charming little maiden, whose adventures are a bit of naturalism that surprises one from the Lark A funny little love story is told in a page of the difficulty out of the way.

telegrams quite characteristic of a business man's inclination to rush a difficulty out of the way.

"Mrs. McKinley" is the subject of a sketch by Mrs. C. F. McLean in the Midland Monthly. There are some good portraits illustrating the article, but no very new or striking matter. Miss Sue O'Bannon Porter, whose picture shows her to be a very comely young woman, contributes a story of the Indian reservation, showing a good deal of style. J. Torrey Connor, locally very well known, tells in verse the legend of the Mission of San Diego with a picture of that interesting old ruin.

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Women have in these days no lack of literature peculiarly their own. Improvement in the household keeps even pace with advance in every other realm of activity, and the excellent journals devoted to home affairs have doubtless much credit due them for such progress. The Ladles Home Companion issues an excellent twelfth-month number, with a prettily colored cover. Everything in which women can be interested gets attention, and a few things which the men will like, as well. A paper describing walks and rides about Iceland takes us through novel scenes. It is by Jessie Ackerman, and is illustrated by some particularly characteristic views.

The Review of Reviews gives special attention in the December number to educational questions, among the more notable articles being Hezekiah Butterworth's Kindergarten Age' and "Child Study in the Training of Teachers," by C. A. Kirkpatrick. Walter L. Hervey of the Teachers' Training College, New York, realizes some of the shortcomings of the Sundayschool as generally conducted, and suggests measures for improvement. The Polychrome Bible, which is soon to appear in this country, is critically treated by Clifton Harby Levy, who, in the same article, tells us much of Prof. Paul Haupt, the father of the idea.

Kipling's Latest Volume of Verse The Tribune's reviewer grows very enthusiastic over Kipling's new book, "The Seven Seas." Here is the way his review begins:

"The first thoughts it provokes are of how rare the man is; of how fresh and stirring his songs are; of how he and he alone today, revives the ex ultant feeling of discovery which moved men when Coleridge and Words-worth first dawned upon them in the moved men when Coleridge and Wordsworth first dawned upon them in the 'Ballads,' and when Tennyson sent his famous volume of 1830 out into the world. No other poet of Kipling's time has quite this spell, which he shares with the great lyrists. No one else so swiftly takes the reader captive, makes him forget the prose and trouble of the earth, and plunges him into the romance of a life whose baldest prose becomes enchanting in the poet's strain. The fine thing about his romance, too, is that he never pretends to invoke it by means of conventional, rhetorical, merely 'literary' incantations. It springs from the piercing glimpses they give you—half humorous, half pathetic—of passionately human things; from the originality, quanitness, and point of the diction; from, finally, the truth that pervades the work like sea, wind, or light. This last quality is never absent, and that it means so much as it does in the poems is explained by the fact that Kipling not only feels anxious to tell the truth, but sees clearly and can report exactly what he sees."

There is more to the same effect, and the writer quotes, as an example of Kipling's direct touch, "direct to the point of roughness." the following stanzas introductory to the barrackroom ballads in the present volume:

When 'Omer smote 'is bloomin' lyre, He'd 'eard men sing by land an' sea, An' what he thought' emight require.

The market-girls an' fishermen, The shepherds an' the sallors, too.

The market-girls an' fishermen, The shepherds an' the sailors, too, They 'eard old songs turn up again, But kep' it quiet—same as you!

They knew 'e stole; 'e knew they knowed. They djdn't tell, nor make a fuss, But winked at 'Omer down the road, An' 'e winked back—the same as us! But the reviewer's critical faculty not altogether charmed away by thard, as the following strictures sho "Mr. Kipling has used plain speech that adds nothing to our sense of his that adds nothing to our sense of his virility, but on the contrary leaves him for the first time convicted of bad taste. The danger of standing up too straight in order to prove your manilness is that you may fall backward, and this is what Mr. Kipling has done. There are lines in this book which have on earthly value in the roughing out of no earthly value in the rounding out of the poems in which they occur; they

Kate Carnegie.

A week or two ago we reviewed "Ian Maclaren's" new story and expressed the opinion that it would not increase the literary reputation of its well-known author. In commenting upon the book the Literary Digest expresses a like opinion as follows:

"Kate Carnegie' is not likely to increase its author's reputation as a literary arist, but it will probably be as popular as the Bonnie Brier Bush, or any of his other essays in fiction, if only because it sounds again with equal skill those appealing chords of humor and tenderness which in his first book gave him an immediate and distinctive place among the best writers of the day.

humor and tenderness which in his first book gave him an immediate and distinctive place among the best writers of the day.

"Kate Carnegie' is put forward as a novel—Tan Maclaren's first long novel," says the publisher's note. As a novel it is distinctly a failure. The central motive—the love of Carmichael, a Covenanting minister, young, provincial, prejudiced, and Kate Carnegie, the daughter of Jacobite ancestors, traveled, modern, experienced, aristocratic, yet withal impulsive and rich of heart—is rather touched than grasped; and the machinery of the tale is quite of the simplest, almost bald in its nalvete. The truth is that from first to last he is never seriously interested in his little thread of story, which is merely a string on which he hangs the curlously-carved beads of Drumtochty character, and some dainty bits of description. Carmichael and Kate are comparatively filmsy sketches, and look like unfinished inventions; but the Drumtochty folks, especially those of them that are old friends, are intimate studies from life."

"The Greatest Song-writer of All

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So Liszt enthusiastically characterized Robert Franz, about whom Henry T. Finck tells us some interesting things in The Looker-On. His sketch begins as follows:

"If the father of Robert Franz had not committed the indiscretion of marrying at the age of 60, more than two hundred of the best songs in existence would never have been written. Physiologists tell us that the children of aged parents are peculiarly liable to all sorts of degenerate nervous conditions—epilepsy; insanity, blindness, deafness, etc Robert Franz's fate did not disprove this doctrine. Before he was 30 years old his nervous system and his hearing became impaired. In 1848—the year of his marriage—the shrill whistle of a locomotive made matters worse; he suddenly found himself unable to hear the highest tones any more, and from that time on one tone after another vanishe. nighest tones any more, and from that time on one tone after another vanished highest tones any more, and from that time on one tone after another vanished forever, step by step, from the highest to the lowest, until 1876—the year of the first Balreuth Festival—found him totally deaf. Nor was this all. Three years later his right arm became paralyzed from the shoulder to the thumb so that he was unable to write an more letters except with lead pencil. As early as 1867 he had been obliged to give up all his positions as organist and conductor; he was suffering at that time from such frightful hallucinations especially at night, that his friends feared he might become insane. Thus the experience of Franz corroborates not only the physiological doctrine just referred to, but also the current notion that there is a certain relationship between insanity and genius. For Franz was a genius in the strictest sense of the word. Liszt went so far as to pronounce him the greatest song-writer of all times."

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Mr. Finck speaks of the services
Franz performed in editing the scores
of Handel and Bach, and then continues:

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"Franz had a habit, in his letters and in conversation, of always speaking of Bach and Handel in the same breath, 'Beethoven and Mozart,' he said to Waldmann one day, 'are nearer to our modern way of feeling; but more powerful, more universal, are Bach and Handel; with them everything is so simple and unerring that we are astonished; their strength never degenerates into brutality nor their tenderness into sentimentality.' 'If any one understood the bel canto of the Italians, it was Handel,' he said on another occasion. 'I took him for a model in my songs. Therefore there is 'real melody in my songs; the aged Garcia advisedly said that of the songs of all the German composers, mine are best suited for the voice.' He was disappointed because so little notice had been taken by professionals of his arrangement of a number of Handel's operatic arias for the tooncert hall, in which he believed them to be peculiarly effective, as they were but loosely connected with their operto be peculiarly effective, as they were but loosely connected with their oper-atic surroundings. 'Listen, how beautiful.' he exclaimed to his Boswell one day, his eyes beaming with joy as he played one of those arias for him.

Thomas Hardy's new book is said to be practically new, although it is a version of his previously published tale, "The Pursuit of the Well-Beloved." Field Marshal Lord Roberts—he.
whom Kipling has immortalized as
"Little Bobs"—has written an important two-volume work, called
"Forty-one Years in India."

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Another of the younger English writers is about to bring out a book called "The Quest of the Golden Girl." The fantastic title will reveal to most attentive readers the name of the author, Richard le Gallienne.

Another novel will share the honors of the year in this magazine—one from the pen of W. D. Howells. This is his "Story of a Play," one said to be of sparkling humor. It narrates the adventures of a young playwright in getting his work produced.

The January number of the Century

The January number of the Century will have for its frontispiece a portrait of Bismarck. Among its leading articles will be "Napoleon's Interests in the Battle of New Orleans," "Nelson at the Battle of the Nile," "Public Spirit in Modern Athens." n Modern Athens."

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Just before she died Miss Mamle Dickens put the finishing touches to a book entitled, "My Father as I Knew Him." The proofs have been read by another daughter of Dickens, Mrs. Perugini, and the work may be expected to appear in a few months.

Thackeray forbade the publication of any biography of himself, and none has ever appeared. Thackeray's daughter, Mrs. Richmond Ritchie, has finally consened to write a series of elaborate biographical introductions, which will be prefixed to a new standard edition.

The Christmas Bookman is a fine number, brave in a new cover design by Louis J. Rhead. It has a great many interesting illustrations and an article upon Mrs. James T. Fields that is well worth reading. In fact, the whole number is most readable from

cover to cover.

Miss Montresor, author of "Into the Highways and Hedges" and "Worth While," is writing a new novel, to appear, perhaps, in the spring. Miss Montresor is the daughter of an English admiral. Her first work, "Into the Highways," etc., was the result of eight years of labor.

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The Japanese edition of Paul Carns' "Karma," published by the Open Court Publishing Company in Chicago, was illustrated and printed at Tokio by T. Hasagarva especially for this company. The paper is Japanese crepe, printed on one side, and the illustrations are distinctly oriental.

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Mr. Howell's has contributed to the January Harper another farce, called "Indian Giver." The announcement of the January installment of Du Maurier's "Martian" includes a statement that the story is to contain incidents that, with slight changes, might appear in an autoblography of the author.

A Swiss journalist, Phillippe Godet, has just discovered at Middachte, in Holland, among the archives of the Bentinck family, thirty-nine unpublished letters of Voltaire, which are now being given to the public through the columns of the Revue de Paris.

The letters are dated from 1753 to 1777.

A new edition of "The American

The letters are dated from 1753 to 1777.

A new edition of "The American Revolution," by John Fiske, has just been issued by Houghton, Mifflin & Co. The work is in two volumes, with pictures in the text, facsimile documents, colored maps, plans of battles, etc. Besides the handsomely bound volumes there is a large paper edition. A very beautiful edition of Herman Grimm's "Life of Michael Angelo" is offered for the holidays by Little, Brown & Co. The work is in two volumes, handsomely bound, and is liberally illustrated with photogravure plates from the masterpieces of Michael Angelo and the famous artists of his time.

"Engilsh Society Sketches" by corge Du Maurier, containing over one hundred illustrations, will soon be ready from the press of Harper Bros. This firm has ready a "Souvenir of Trilby," comprising seven photograv-ures in a portfolio, and editions of "Peter Ibbetson," and "Trilby," in uni-

form bindings.

Mr. Zangwill has ceased to contribute Mr. Zangwill has ceased to contribute a monthly causerie to the Pall Mall, his last paper being published in the December number. These articles have been in no sense remarkable. His successor is to be A. T. Quiller Couch, whose comments and criticisms on life and literature will appear under the title of "From a Cornish Window."
"Poor! Lore" a magazine which has "Poet-Lore," a magazine which has been of service to students of its specialty, and which is always readable by students and laymen alike, has hitherto been published monthly, but it is to be a quarterly in the future. Its first appearance in its new form, with admirable text, bound in an artistic cover,

said to give her impressions of life in a German town.

Paul Dunbar, the negro poet, is preparing a new edition of his poems, for which William Dean Howells has written an introduction.

edited, in England, by Dr. W. Robertson Nicoll. The new volume will contain a series of articles by the Rev. John Watson (Ian Maclaren) and contributions by American scholars may in future be expected.

The Sportsman's Magazine, published by the Sportsman's Magazine Company

The Sportsman's Magazine, published by the Sportsman's Magazine Company, New York, is a new venture, sending out its third number in its December issue. It is devoted exclusively to sport and is very handsomely illustrated. "Hunting Moose in New Brunswick," "Tiger Hunting in India," "Fishing in California," are titles which show its wide reach of subjects.

A third edition of Prof. Giddings' "Principles of Sociology," which was published three months ago, is announced by the Macmillan Company. It will contain a preface reafferming the principal points of the work, and replies to objections made to many features of the contents. Pof. Sylvanus P. Thompson is preparing "Michael Farraday; His Life and His Work" for the Century Science Series.

A limited edition of the Rev. Everett Hale's story, entitled "The Man Without a Country," will be published shortly by Lamson, Wolffe & Co. The second edition of "King Noanett" is nearly ready, and an edition de grande luxe in preparation, limited to a hundered copies, to be illustrated with a number of new pictures, by Henry Sandham, bound in inlaid leather and to cost \$100 each. "King Noanett" is indeed booming.

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That wonderful and omnipresent

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That wonderful and, omnipresent man, Andrew Lang, edits a delightful Christmas book, "The Animal's Story Book," which is full of pictures. The work has for publishers Longmans, Green & Co. This is Mr. Lang's moral: "We should be kind to all sorts of animals, and above all knock trout on the head when they are caught, and don't let the poor things jump about till they die." Much that a boy ought to read is in this handsome volume.

A writer in the Spectator. W. T.

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A writer in the Spectator, W. T. Malleson, finds that the story in Browning's poem of "Halbert and Hob" was borowed from Aristotle, who gives it in "Etheis," I, xil, c, 6. "It is not strange," says Mr. Malleson, "that Browning did not refer to Aristotle, for it was not his habit to mention the sources of his poems nor to given any clue to his often very recondite allusions—a pecularity which has given much employment to his commentators—but it is curious that this little discovery has not been made before."

A new edition of Marie Corelli's works, consisting of six handsomely-bound volumes, will soon be issued by the American Publishers' Corporation. This company has also in preparation new editions of "Green's History of the English People," in four volumes, with thirty-two photogravure illustrations; Guizot's "History of France," in eight volumes; Scott's "Waverly Novels," in twelve volumes; McCarthy's "History of Our Own Times," and the Library Series of twenty-four of the "World's Best Books."

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"Soldiers of Fortune." R. H. Davis's forthcoming "Scribner" serial, will be an interesting test of his powers as the author of a bona fide long novel. His ability to frame a plot upon which a story of three-volume size might be built up has been doubted, even by those who most admire his work; consequently the successive chapters of his South American romance will be watched with curiosity. C. D. Gibson has illustrated the story, whose opening chapters will appear in the January number of the magazine.

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one day, his eyes beaming with joy as he played one of those arias for him. He himself, poor man, could listen with the mind's ear only.

"With all his admiration for Handel, Franz recognized his great inferiority to Bach. He is reported as saying:

"If I am asked which of the two has the greater creative power (which is the main thing,) I reply that Bach stands far and high above Handel. In Handel we find certain themes, forms, turns which recur in almost all his works—he remains within a certain circle—whereas Bach's genius is inexhaustible; it is astounding, impossible to comprehend where he gets this wealth, this originality without limit."

Literary Notes.

"Le Coupable" is the title of a new novel by Francoise Coppee, just published in Paris.

Blanch Willis Howard, who has not been heard from as an author in some time, is presently to bring out a story called "Puss-in-Boots," which is

Cleveland's Presidency "marks an important epoch in the history of American politics," and that "it is a great thing for a country to possess a statesman who speaks out his own mind."

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There is an edition de luxe of "Beside the Bonnie Briar Bush," by Ian Maclaren. The edition is to be limited to 300 copies, containing twenty-four full-page illustrations, specially rengraved from the photographs taken by Clifton Johnson in Drumtochty, and a new portrait of the author from one taken in New York since Dr. Watson's arrival in this country. Each copy of the portrait will be signed by the author's own hand. The cover is designed by George Wharton Edwards, and is printed in gold upon white. The size is the same as that of the \$10 edition of "Rip Van Winkle," published some time ago by Dodd, Mead & Co.

We are glad to hear that Miss Cornelia Atwood Pratt's "A Book of Martyrs" is attracting an unusual amount of attention. In acknowledging the reciept of a copy of the book, Miss Marry E. Wilkins wrote: "You were quite right in thinking that these stories would interest me, and I am exceedingly obliged to you for bringing them to my notice. They are altogether exceptional in subject and style. I am greatly charmed with them. I have read them all and shall read them over. They are so innocently and quietly subtle that one does not exhaust the interest at the first reading. They show a marvelous insight."

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Sir James D. Mackenzie's notable work on "The Castles of England, Their Story and Their Structure." is published in this country by the Macmillan Company. It is perhaps not generally known that this work is the one for which its London publishers received the gold medal at the exhibition of the Book and News Trade in London last month. A keen competition took place between many London publishers for this first award for excellence in printing, binding and illustration in book work, and, apart from the literary book work, and, apart from the literary value of the work, it is interesting to

book work, and, apart from the literary value of the work, it is interesting to see what was pronounced the highest attainment of the bookmaker's art during the past year, not only in any one particular, but as an all-around piece of bookmaking.

Among the contributors to the Youth's Companion during the coming year, the seventy-fifth of its existence, will be the Attorney-General of the United States, the Postmaster-General, the Secretary of the Navy, Speaker Reed, Andrew Carnegle, Ian Mcaleren, Rudyard Kipling, Hall Caine, Charles Dudley Warner, F. R. Stockton, Mrs. Burton Harrison, Mrs. Amelia E. Barr, Amdrew Lang, I. Zangwill, G. W. Smalley, Theodore Roosevelt, Col. George E. Waring, Carl Schurz, Henry Cabot Lodge, Admiral Markham, Admiral Upshur, Lieut, Peary, Dr. Austin, Filnt, Sir Robert Ball, Sir William H. Flower, Sir Reginald Palgrave, the Marquis of Lorne, Lady Juene, Lady Vernon Harcourt, Max ORell, Col. Thomas Wentworth Higginson, the Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott and Clark Russell. The list speaks for itself; comment is certainly superfluous.

The publication of the first of the supplementary series of seven volumes which is to complete the Edinburgh edition of the works of the late R. L. Stevenson. has been postponed from November 15, the date originally promised, to December 15,. It will consist, says the Athenaeum, almost entirely of matter which has either not been printed before, or not hitherto collected from the sources where it originally appeared, and which it is not proposed to present to the reading public in any other form. Its longest section, "Juvenilia," will include the rare historical pamphlet on the Pentland rising, written and printed at Edinburgh in the author's sixteenth year: the equally rare "Letter to the Clergy of the Church of Scotland," printed as a pamphlet in 1875; the paper contributed in 1871 to the short-lived Edinburgh University Magazine; a series of "Sketches" of the same date from manuscripts hitherto unpublished; and a number of "Essays of the Road," belonging to the years 1870-6, partly collected from the Portfolio and other periodicals, and partly from manuscripts hitherto unprinted. Another section will consist of fragmentary essays and reminiscences which the writer had begun to prepare for Scriber's from an unfinished ethical treatise called "Lay Morals," drafted in 1879, and the collection of prayers composed, toward the close of his life, for family use, The publication of the first of the lary number of the magazine.

It is said that the Savoy, Aubrey Beardsley's fin de siecle monthly, will suspend publication next month. The Savoy began its career as a quarterly, and in its art features and its literary matter, was quite as attractive as the Yellow Book, after the style of which it was issued. The publisher is Leonard Smithers. The December number, announced as the last, will contain a translation of Mallarm's masterpiece, "Herodiade," by Artinur Symons. Richard Hovey, some time ago made a translation of the same poem.

There is on exhibition in Boston, an interesting bibliographical relic in the shape of a copy of "The Book of Common Prayer of the Church of England," as abridged and edited by Franklin in London, in 1773. It is said to be the only copy in America. Mrs. Samuel Bache, a daughter of Franklin, gave it to William White, the first Bishop of Pennsylvania, in 1785. It finally came into the hands of Prof. Henry Reed, of the University of Pennsylvania, whose library is to be dispersed at auction in Boston early next month.

The publishers of the Critic announce a new literary magazine, The Month; in Literature, Art and Life. It will be

Mrs. Josephine Polhill, of Due West, S. C., had a severe case of catarrh, which finally became so deep-seated that she was entirely deaf in one ear, and part of the bone in her nose sloughed off. The best physicians treated her in vain, and she used various applications of sprays and CURED BY washes to no

avail. Fourteen bottles of S. S. S. promptly reached the seat of the disease, and cured her sound and well.

Our shelves are, as usual at this season of the year, crowded with the handsomest productions of the Eastern and foreign presses. Our illustrated works are more beautiful than ever. New and unique bindings are the rule. Everything from the handsome edition de luxe to the more modest tome, is in our stock, and the book-lover cannot fail to find here just what is desired. Children's Picture Books from the beautiful color productions of Nister, Tuck & Co., to the neat and inexpensive little story books to delight the hearts of the little people. We mention a few details below, but our space will not permit us the half we would say.

Illustrated Books.

In Illustrated Books we mention

Michael Angelo,

The German Struggle for Liberty,

Modern French Masters, Abbey Shakespeare,

Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam, American Revolution,

Flute and Violin.

Juvenile Books.

In Juveniles we have the works of Louisa Alcott,

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Don't Forget The PlaceSTOLL & THAY

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The Wily Sea Poachers of the Devon Coast,

[Contributed to The Times.]

tle question. It was a place in which formerly kegs of smuggled spirits, and tobacco were hidden. The place lies some fourteen or fifteen miles from Boscastle, a dangerous little harbor on the North Cornish coast, and about a mile off the main road from London, by Exeter and Launceston to Falmouth. The coach-travelers in old days consumed a good deal of spirits, and here in a tangle of lanes lay a little emporium always kept well supplied with a stock of spirits which had not paid

THE other day I saw an old farmhouse in process of demolition in the parish of Altarnun, on the edge of the Bodmin Moors. The great hall chimney was of unusual bulk, bulky as such chimneys usually are; and when it was thrown down it revealed the explanation of this unwonted size. Behind the back of the hearth was a chamber fashioned in the thickness of the wall to which access might have been had at some time through a low welled-up doorway, that was concealed behind the kitchen dresser and plastered over. This door was so low that it could be passed through only on all fours.

Now the concealed chamber had also another way by which it could be entered, and this was through a hole in the floor of a bedroom above. A plank of the floor could be lifted, when an opening was disclosed by which any one might pass under the wall through a sport of door and down steps into this apartment, which was entirely without light. Of what use was this singular concealed chamber? There could be little question. It was a place in which formerly kegs of smuggled spirits, and tobacco were hidden. The place lies some fourteen or fifteen miles from Boscastle, a dangerous little harbor on the North Cornish coast, and about a maile off the main road from London, by Exeter and Launceston to Falmouth. The coach-travelers in old days consumed a good deal of spirits, and stock of spirits which had not paid



duty, and whence the taverns along the road could derive the contraband liquor, with which they supplied the travelers. Between this emporium and the sea, the roads—parish roads—lie over wild moors or creep between high hedges of earth on which the traveler can step along when the laid below is converted into the bed of a stream, also on which the wary smuggler could also on which the wary smuggler could also on which the wary smuggler could stride along while his laden mules and asses stumbled forward in the conceal-

ment of the deep-set lane.

A very curious feature of the coasts of England, where rocky or wild. the trenched and banked up paths from the caves along the coast. These are noticeable in Devon and Cornwall and along the British Channel.

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the British Channel.

That terrible sea-front consists of precipitous walls of rock, with only here and there a dip, where a brawling stream has sawed its course down to the sea, and here there is, perhaps, a sandy shore of diminutive proportions, and the rocks around are plerced in all directions with caverns. The smugglers formerly ran their goods into these caves when the weather permitted, or the preventive men were not on the the preventive men were not on the lookout. They stowed away their goods in the caves and gave notice to the farmer and gentry of the neighborhood, all of whom were provided with numerous donkeys, which were forthwith sent down to the caches and the

of brandy.

Now a wary preventive man might watch too narrowly the proceedings of these trains of asses. Accordingly squires, yeomen, farmers alike, set to work to cut deep ways in the face of the Downs, along the slopes of the hills, and bank them up, so that whole caravans of laden asses might travelup and down absolutely unseen from the sea and greatly screened from the land side.

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Undoubtedly the sunken ways and high banks are a great protection against the weather. So they are represented to be—and no doubt greatly were the good folks commended for their consideration for the beasts and their drivers, in thus at great cost shutting them off from the violence of the gale. Nevertheless, it can hardly be doubted that concealment from the eye of the coast guard was sought by this means quite as much, if not more, than the sheltering of the beasts of burden from the weather.

A few years ago, an old churchhouse in the writer's neighborhood was demolished. The churchhouse was originally the place where the parishioners from a distance, in a country district, put up between the morning and afternoon services on the Sunday. It was always a long building of two stories; that below served for the men, that above for the women, and each had its great fireplace. Here they ate and chattered between services, as already said, and here were served with ale by the sexton or clerk. In a great many cases these church-houses have been converted into taverns. Now this one in the writer's neighborhood had never been thus altered. When it was pulled down, it was found that the floor of large slate slabs in the lower room was undermined with hollows tike graves, only of much larger dimensions—and these had served for the concealment of snuggled spirits. The clerk had in fact dug them out, and did mensions—and these had served for the concealment of snuggled spirits. The clerk had in fact dug them out, and did mensions—and these had served for the concealment of smuggled spirits. The concealment of smuggled spirits. The clerk had in fact dug them out, and did a little trade on Sundays with selling contraband liquor from these stores.

The story is told of a certain baronet, who had a handsome house and park mear the coast. The preventive men had long suspected that Sir Thomas had done more than wink at the proceedings of the receivers of smuggled goods. His park dipped in graceful unfulations to the sea and to a lovely creek, in which was his boathouse. But they never had been able to establish the fact that he favored the smugglers, and allowed them to use his grounds and outbuildings.

However, at last, one night a party of men with kegs on their shoulders were seen stealing through the park toward the mansion. They were ob-

oid fellow—the last of the Cornish wreckers—who ended his days as keeper of a little public house. But he never would allow that he had wilfully drawn a vessel upon the breakers. When a ship was cast up by the gale it was another matter. The dwellers on the coast could not believe that they had not a perfect right to whatever was washed ashore. Nowadays the coast guards keep so sharp a lookout after a storm that very little can be picked up. The usual course now is for those who are early on the beach, and have not time to secure—or fear the risk of securing—something they covet, to heave the article up the cliff and lodge it there, were not easily accessible. If it be observed—when the auction takes place—it is knocked down for a trifie, and the man who put it where it is discerned obtains it by a lawful claim. If it be not observed, then he fetches it at his convenience. But it is now considered too risky to carry off anything found after a wreck of any size, and as the number of bidders at a sale of wreckage is not large, and they do with sent down to the caches and the kegs and bales were removed under cover of night or of storm.

As an excuse for keeping droves of donkeys, it was pretended that the seasand and the kelp served as admirable dressing for the land; and no doubt so they did; the trains of asses sometimes came up laden with sacks of sand, but not infrequently with kegs of brandy.

Now a wary preventive man with the considered too risky to carry off any thing found after a wreck of any size, and as the number of bidders at a sale of wreckage is not large, and they do not compete with each other greatly, things of some value are got for very slender payments.

To return to the smugglers.

When a train of asses or mules conveyed contraband goods along a road, it was often customary to make the considered too risky to carry off any thing found after a wreck of any size, and as the number of bidders at a sale on the property of the property of the considered too risky to carry off any thing found after a wreck of any size, and as the number of bidders at a sale on the property of the propert

One night many years ago, a friend of the writer—a parson on the north coast of Cornwall—was walking along a lane in his parish at night. It was near midnight. He had been to see near midnight. He had been to see or had been sitting up with a dying person.

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As he came to a branch in the lane he saw a man there, and he called out "Good night." He then stood still a moment to consider which lane he should take. Both led to his rectory, but one was somewhat shorter than the other. The shorter was, however, stony and very wet. He chose the longer way, and turned to the right. Thirty years after he was speaking with a parishioner who was ill, when the man said to him suddenly: "Do you remember such and such a night when you came to the Y? You had been with Nankevill, who was dying?" "Yes, I do recall something about it." "Do you remember you said 'good night' to me?"

"I remember that some one was there. I did not know it was you."
"And you turned right instead of left?"
"I dare say."
"If you had taken the left-hand-road

"And you turned had left?"
"If you had taken the left-hand road you would never have seen next morning."
"Why so?"
"There was a large cargo of 'run' goods being transported that night—and you would have met it."
"What of that?"
"What of that?"
"What of that?"
"But how could they suppose I would peach?"
"Sir! They'd a' took good care you shouldn't a' had a chance!"
S. BARING GOULD.
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The Averted Duel.

(New York Tribune:) M. de Villemessant, the founder of the Paris Figaro, being insulted daily in a Belgian paper by a writer whose nom de plume was "Marco Spada," took the train to Brussels with two friends and a pair of swords. On his arrival he wrote to "Marco Spada" that at 2 pm. sharp he should call on him to arrange an encounter. On the stroke of 2 M. de Villemessant appeared at the editorial office and asked for "Marco Spada." What was his amazement on seeing an old lady, all wrinkled and with surls about her ears, appear from behind a window, and hear the reply: "I am Marco Spada, sir, and am at your orders!"

EVERGREEN TURKEYS

Pigs, Pencocks and Ducks Will Or-nament the Christmas Feast. (CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

Instead of graceful droop and flow-ing curve, Christmas decorations will this year incline more to straight line and sharp angle, for notable among the greens to be used is the Norwegian pine, whose branches, straight, uncom-promising, nevertheless wield a subtle charm with their spley suggestion of promising, nevertheless wield a subtle charm with their spicy suggestion of the Land of the Midnight Sun, the original haunt of old Kris himself. Scarcely less popular is the Australian pine, a little more tender and luxuriant in foliage, but still thrusting its boughs stiffly out in direct right angle to its parent stalk. One great advantage in choosing the Australian pine is that, having spent six or eight dollars for your miniature tree, you have a lovely and verdant decoration for many months to come, as these are all freshly growing in pots. Instead, then, of the usual center-piece of cut flowers, this Christmas will see the dinner tables of the up-to-date illuminated by a jolly

haughty peacock with its stately crest and spread tail. The greedy little green pig. too, will be a most festive figure, with a wreath of red roses around his neck and a rosebud or two in his mouth.

"Of course, the only way in which these could be used as a table decoration would be to cut a hole in the table to let the tub down into," said the florist, "and as few will do this, they will serve more for side ornamentation."

In fact, set conventional pieces of every kind are to be more than ever used this season, the acacia trimmed into pyramid, bail and other symetrical shapes being specially in demand. The orange tree in full fruitage is also one of the pet holiday decorations. Holly wreathes will be varied by graceful, trailing wreaths of maidenhair fern whose stems are concealed in glass tubes filled with water and thus able to retain their freshness. With their tender leaves will be mixed scarlet flowers, the pointsettia being a favorite Christmas flower.

En passant, a new rose, bids fair to outrank all its predecessors. This is



THEY ARE MADE EXACTLY LIKE CAMP STOOLS.

little tree glowing with red-white electric lights and bearing upon its sturdy branches many a sparkling trifle. The salient point in this manner of decoration is the diversion it is bound to create. The most dignified party in Christendom cannot long retain its stiffness in the presence of a smiling merry Christmas tree.

Where expense is not to be considered, the hostess will be able, by a simple press of the button, to astonish her guests now and then with a complete change in the color of lights, going from red to white, from blue to yellow, in a flash. The little tree may be made, too, to bear charming gifts for each guest without going near expensive counters. Even the men have not been forgotten in the fascinating trinkets this season. There are, for instance, the three new silver implements for cleaning and filling a pipe; the charming miniature drags and other horsey novelties in silver, and the tiny dogs, horses, etc., in colored bronze, to be had for 75 cents each, and which are genuine works of art for all time. For the women there are the hundred and one new trinkets in silver, for which there is always a place and a use. But when one cannot afford, or does not wish to spend even so much in gifts, little tin soldiers, grotesque little dolls and a myriad bizarre drolleries furnish, perhaps, even greater amusement.

The most striking novelties in Christmas greens, however, are the litterally

named after a no less person than President Carnot, and is a rose of exquisitely delicate coloring, shading from pink into salmon. With the exception of the queenly American Beauty, it stands straighter than any other rose, and boasts a large stem free from thorns. Florists predict a great future for this beautiful new variety, as the orders for it are daily increasing, and it is being tremendously forced for holidayy trade.

EDYTHE GERMAINE.

The Spence Observatory.

(San Francisco Pest.) The project of the late E. F. Spence, a Los Angeles millionaire, to provide by trust deed for the erection in Southern California of an observatory which would eclipse the Lick establishment on Mt. Hamilton, has not, it seems, been entirely abandoned. Mr. Spence created the trust in 1889, and shortly thereafter the trustees contracted with a French firm for a forty-inch telescope, the largest in the world, at a cost of 80,000 francs. The land conveyed by the philanthropic capitalist was very valuable in 1859, but when the first lens had been completed, its rents and value had so decreased that the trustees found them-The Spence Observatory. creased that the trustees found ther selves unable to carry out their con

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The most striking novelties in Christmas greens, however, are the literally growing birds and beasts that have just been imported from Berlin. Fancy, if you can, peacocks, ducks, pigs, etc., in living green, for that is exactly what a few of the leading florists are now able to display. Box, which only grows



A COUPLE OF SKILLED COOKS ARE ENGAGED.

the more luxuriant by constant clipping, is naturally the plant most used for this odd achievement. To produce the perfect results of those imported, means, of course, years of growth and training, and the pieces are cor espendingly expensive, none being less than \$25\$. The box must first grow into a hardy shrub, then it is cunningly clipped into the semblance desired, and left to put forth fresh green shoots at every point, so that only young, leafy verdure will appear. Then a daily shave and plenty of water will keep the little animal in a perfectly well-groomed, well-fed condition. The counterfelt presentment is so perfect that there is not the least danger of method blandly, and sald, "Howdy, colonel?" His commander cried, "Hand me your piece," and upon taking it, faced the soldier and the University of Southern California, in which the observatory was finally to vest, seemed to take no further in the way to say 'How do you do' to your colonel."

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She won her action in the lower court, but on the 18th of last month the supreme Court reversed the judg-little animal in a perfectly well-groomed, well-fed condition. The counterfelt presentment is so perfect that there is not the least danger of ment on the ground that the trust had blandly, and sald, "Howdy, colonel?" His commander cried, "Hand me your piece." and upon taking it, faced the soldier and came to a "present arms;" then hand; back the musket, he remarked, "That is the way to say 'How do you do' to your colonel."

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lic educational institution as is qualified to accept the trust, is not decided, and upon a retrial a finding may be made which will defeat it. But otherwise the trustees seem to have won a complete victory.

The property involved is said to be still inadequate to build and equip a forty-inch telescope, but there is no question that it is likely to become sufficiently valuable within a very few years. At all events, if the trust shall finally be upheld it will form the nucleus of a donation by some other millionaire—if one shall be found—which shall make the observatory now leads the world in terrestrial investigation. Another one like in Southern California, owing to climatic conditions, would make this State the center of astronomical discovery.

Thirteen Months in 1900.

(Toledo Blade:) The present arbitrary division of the months into thirty and thirty-one-day periods, with February but twenty-eight, is a bothering arrangement, having no advantage, and is endured simply because it is the established order of things. The suggestion is now made that the year 1900 would be a good starting point for an improvement. It is proposed that with the new century we start in with a year of thirteen months rather than twelve. The Scientific American has an article favoring the change, in which its effect is thus described:

"If such a division were made the (Toledo Blade:) The present arbitrary division of the months into thirty and thirty-one-day periods, with Feban article favoring the change, in which its effect is thus described:

"If such a division were made the first twelve months would have just twenty-eight days, or four weeks each, and the new month twenty-nine, to make 265, and thirty in leap years. After a few days there would be no need to refer to calendars, as the same day of the week would have the same day of the week would have the same date through the year. If January 1 were, say Monday, every Monday would be the 1st, 8th, 15th and 22d; every Tuesday the 2d, 9th, 16th and 23d, and so throughout the year. The changes of the moon would be on about the same dates through the year, and many calculations, like interest, dates of maturing notes, Easter Sunday and many other important dates would be simplified. Although the present generation would have to figure new dates for birthdays, and all legal holidays except New Year would be more than the loss, as that would be permanent, and the objections trifling."

The argument of utility applies with much force in favor of such a change. There is no sound objection to the plan; but we presume there is so much foolish sentiment against it that any effort to realize it would be baffied. The conservatism of humanity is so great that we endure all sorts of inconvenience rather than make a radical change in some immemorial custom. The adhesion to our clumsy and antiquated system of weights and measures is a case in point.

Grant's Lesson to a Sentry.

Gen. Horace Porter, in his "Sampaigning with Grant" in the December Century, relates an anecdote telling how Gen. Grant aided a drover in turning his cattle. Gen. Porter adds: "He knew, of course, that the man did not recognize him. If he had supposed the man was lacking in proper military respect, he would perhaps have administered to him the same lesson which he once taught a soldier in the Twenty-first Illinois, when he commanded that regiment. An officer who had served under him at the time told me that Col. Grant, as he came out of his tent one morning, found a strapping big fellow posted as sentinel, who nodded his head good-naturedly, smiled blandly, and sald, "Howdy, colone!" His commander cried, "Hand me your piece." and upon taking it, faced the soldier and came to a "present arms;" then handing back the musket, he remarked, "That is the way to say 'How do you do' to your colonel."

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PRINCE TOTO,

A Romance in the Land of Two Moons,

How the Lovely Lady Verbena Sacrificed Herself at the Court of the Rainbow.

III. OW, when Prince Toto had danced for six weeks with the sham Princess, and had changed his suit 999 times in order to show off his fine figure, the Queen, his mother, thought she might safely ask him to fix a day for the wedding. But he was furious at the question, and said he had no intention of marrying "such

little scarecrow." a little scarecrow."
"I would as soon," said he, "marry
the girl who watches the pupples; for
she, at any rate, makes me laugh.
And she is so dreadfully ugly, poor
thing, that she makes even the sky
and the trees look pretty in comparison."

green as I thought it was. I really must go and have another look."

So he walked down to the kennel. And this time he found her asleep, with all her green halr hidden away under a ragged old cap. There were two tears on her cheek, and they were as bright as the sun. Yet he was afraid to touch them, and he turned back to his palace in a bad temper. But, to his horror, he saw all the court coming down to meet him. And the King and the Queen and the Sham Princess screamed with laughter at the sight of Verbena and. the puppies. Verbena woke up, but she never winced nor moved. She sang the puppies to sleep because she did not wish them to think that they were being laughed at, too, for the puppies were extremely sensitive, and they knew that if people had never been told that their long ears and short tails were miraculous points of beauty, it would be easy to make a mistake and think them deformities. As soon as Verbena sang, however, they fell into a doze and did not trouble themselves at all about the Sham Princess's giggles. But the more the court jeered the more Prince Toto signed. At last he stamped his foot and said:

"Where did you learn your manners?"

"Why," said the Lord Chamberlain, "we learned them from your Royal Highness, to be sure. Who else could have taught us so well?"

At this Prince Toto flew into a towering passion, and ordered every one's head cut off, which was absurd, because the only fairy who knew how to cut off heads and screw them on again without giving the least pain had gone away for a thousand years or so to catch shrimps and learn how to ride the periwinkle. The Queen reminded Prince Toto of this and begged him to keep calm.

"You misunderstood me," said Prince Toto very savagely indeed—"I never ordered any one's head to be cut off. I merely observed that it was a good day for a lobster race."

When he told this dreadful story the Princess Verbena began to cry. All the court stared with amazement and delight at the sight of her beautiful tears, and the keeper of the Royal Money-box



"Oh, isn't this shocking behavior!" cried the poor Queen, who was tired out from watching the capers of Prince Toto and the court. "What will the

Prime Minister and the Lord Chamber-lain and the Lord High Poodle-Dog think?"

"I don't care a fig for the Lord High Poodle-Dog," said the awfully-wicked Prince Toto. "And you can tell the Princess to go home. I don't want her!"

Prince Toto Mons, and you are the Prince from the Land of Two Moons, and you are even more heautiful and more presented.

As for Prince Toto—every one de-clared that he was greatly changed. He became more and more discon-tented, and people thought from his odd manner that he was hopelessly in love with the Sham Princess. They did not know that he used to get up at sunrise when all the court was asleep and no one could see him, in order to steal away to the puppy kennel, where poor Verbena, looking uglier than ever, sat patiently guarding the span-iels.

O Princess," said Prince Toto on "O Princess," said Prince Toto one day, "O Princess with the blue checks and the amber eyes, I do not laugh so much as I once laughed at your green hair. I hope you do not mind. I am afraid I have grown accustomed to it; in fact—but please forgive me—I have aimost made up my mind to like, it. One gets very tired of golden hair and black hair and brown hair. But no one else in the world has green hair like yours!"

She shed more tears than ever at this, but he was ashamed to pick them

this, but he was ashamed to pick them up. And he went away and danced more gaily than he had ever danced before with the Sham Princess, who now carried her head very high and quite forgot that she was only playing a part. Prince Toto did not go to see the poor little Princess Verbena for reveral mornings. Then he began to this poor is the princess of the poor to himself:

"The only real treasures in the whole world," said he, "are your tears!"
And then a marvellous thing hapsened. Verbena's rags changed to
moonbeams; her green hair became

Princes Toto. "And you can tell the Princess to go home. I don't want her!"

The Queen had hysterics, and the King was so angry that he ordered court mourning and a picnic to the tomb of his ancestors. The Prince refused to join the picnic, and he went instead to the puppy kennel where the Princess Verbena sat alone on a broken pie-dish, crying most bitierly. And when the Princes Verbena sat alone on a broken pie-dish, crying most bitierly. And when the Princes Verbena sat alone on a broken pie-dish, crying most bitierly. And when the Princes Verbena sat alone on a broken pie-dish, crying most bitierly. And when the Princes Verbena sat alone on a broken pie-dish, crying most bitierly. And when the Princes Verbena saw to not he Picnice, they saw him riding and the Queen and the Sham Princes Verbena—who was smilling—rode by his side on the Little Brother Puppy, who actually winked at the Lord High Poodle Dog. "What disgraceful conduct!" said the Sham Princess Verbena was milling—rode by his side on the Little Brother Puppy, who actually winked at the Lord High Poodle Dog. "What disgraceful conduct!" said the Sham Princess Verbena was not hoking at the walked down toward the pupples' kennel, in order to watch the Princess Verbena weeping. He used to bow with a great flourish, and say:

So every day after that he walked down toward the pupples' kennel, in order to watch the Princess Verbena weeping. He used to bow with a great flourish, and say:

Then she would laugh till the tears came, and, when she was not looking, he would gather them up. After he left her, however, and passed out of sight, her laughter would change to weeping, and the Little Brother Puppy would complain that she made him teed flow the pupples' kennel, in order to watch the Princes Werbena weeping. He used to bow with a great flourish, and say:

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JOHN OLIVER HOBBES.

(Exchange:) "What do, you think when a widower of 80 years old gets married again?" "I thing it is demoralizing for us young kids of 60."

(Truth:) Priscilla. I don't think Miss Sweet is very bright. Many a time I have known her to laugh at stupid jokes.

Penelope. I'll bet she makes more friends that way than you do by scowling at them.

Consumption Cured. An old physician, retired from practice, had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all Throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Eebility and all Nervous Complaints. Having tested its wonderful curative powers is thousands of cases, and desiring to relieve human suffering I will send free of charge b all who wish it, this rectpe, in German, Franch or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail, by addressite, with stamp, naming this paper. W. X. Noyes, ED Fewers' Flock, Rochester, N. Y.

A Story of Sze-Tang and the Sage.

One of the Strange Myths and Legends of Old Japan-King Peek of China.

(CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

ANG-TSIH, the wood cutter, set out at daybreak, his broad-bladed ax on his shoulder. It was spring, and the trees were clad in bright green follage; the wild-flowers were bathed in dew; the mountain streams ran full and clear. Like a good man, as he was, Wang-Tsih enjoyed the beautles of nature. He wandered on and on, not minding where he was going, and came at length to a small river, bordered on both banks with peach trees in full bloom, which bent down and were reflected in the water like sunset clouds. Filled with delight, the woodcutter followed up the stream to where it issued from the broad mouth of a cavern, under a great rock. He entered, and before he had proceeded far the cave opened again upon the most pleas-ant country that eye has seen, varied with wooden hills, green fields and smiling gardens. Before him were two old ing gardens. Before him were two oid men, whom he knew were sages by the length of their eyebrows. They were playing a game of checkers, with black stones, using white for counters. Our wood-cutter leaned on his ax, watching the game, for what seemed to him a few minutes only. But when it was finished and one of the wise men looked up and said, "My brother,

that its strong handle was decayed and ready to crumble into dust. Won-dering greatly, he retraced his steps and at evening reached his village; but there he saw nothing that he recbut there he saw nothing that he rec-ognized except the surrounding hills. Just outside the village he met a very old man and asked the way to his own house. "What!" cried the an-cient, "Wang-Tsih's house has long ago disappeared. He himself, as you may have heard tell, lost his way in the mountains and never returned. But that is more than two centuries

do not lean on that old ax-handle,'

Wang-Tsih found that his broad, sharp ax had wasted nearly all away, and

But that is more than two centuries ago—a very old story. If, however, you are interested in knowing what happened so long ago, I can show you to where his descendants of the seventh generation are now living. Perhaps they may be able to point out to you the site of Wang-Tsih's house."

The first to dwell in the mysterious land fo which Wang-Tsih had caught a glimpse, was Sze-Tang, who was page to King Peek of China. At the age of 10 Sze-Tang was so beautiful that he was famous throughout all China. Poets compared his complexion to the wild-cherry blossom opening in the soft air of spring. And, unlike most boys, he was so good, even to the lower animals, that he was called the Merciful. As a consequence, he was loved by the King and by everybody who knew him, except by some envious people about the palace.

about the palace.
One night Sze-Tang inadvertently took the King's pillow to sleep on, and was frightened more than a little when he discovered his mistake; for there was no greater crime against palace etiquette. "Tang." said His Majesty, "you did not mean it, and no one knows of the unfortunate occurrence save you and I. We have but to keep our counsel, and all will be well." But he was mistaken. Somehow the news of Sze-Tang's transgression got about; the envious couriers talked of nothing else. They said it was disgraceful favoritism not to enforce the law, and that the kingdom would undoubtedly go to ruin if a page who had laid his head on the King's pillow could continue, after, to bear it on his shoulders. The great officials took the matter up. "It will lead to a rebellion," said they: "Sze-Tang must be beheaded." The King pleaded hard for his favorite; he urged the culprit's youth, his uniform good conduct, and the certainty that he had intended no harm; but the laws were above the King, and the most that he could obtain was to have the criminal banished, instead of being put to death.

It was his majesty's right to choose the place of exile, and, as it happened, that was no barren privilege; for no man knew more than King Peek about the wild countries beyond the borders of the civilized States, to which criminals were usually banished.

"My dear Sze-Tang," said he, "since I must send you away from me, it shall be to the land of Lichen. In my younger days, as you know, I was very fond of travel; and I may say without boasting that, with my famous team of eight dragon horses, there were few of the barbarian States, or even of the demon regions of the south and west that I did not visit. From the land to which you are to go you can never return; but, if you follow my instructions, you shall never grow old there, but shall always retain your beauty and the bloom of youth. This you shall owe to a charm which was taught me by Buddha. Repeat these verses after me:

"Wolves and tigers in Ll-chen_willow he was

ter which sometimes washed over them, ran on its course murmuring the magic couplet.

Years and centuries passed away, and Sze-Tang, still a boy of ten, was the only inhabitant of the happy land. But at length, the dynasty of Chan passed away. The wicked King of Chin came to be Emperor. It was he who built the great wall because he was afraid to fight the Tartars, and who burnt the books of the former emperors and drove away the learned men, or put them to death. Some of the unfortunate scholars, flying from the tyrant, found their way into the desolate country near Li-chen. There they were greeted by the singing stream, and, following its course through the dark cavern, they came out into a country where the wild chrysanthemum leaves all bore the same legend. One of their number encountered a handsome boy who explained the matter to him; and there the sages still remain, presided over by the God of Longevity, resolcing in the eternal beauty of Sze-Tang, forever engaged, as the wood-cutter found them, in pleasant games and pastimes.

THEHAPPY LAND

and constantly humming, like a swarm of bees,
"Wolves and tigers in Li-chen Mortal are, but not so men."

A Story of Sze-Tang and the (Copyright, 1886, by Roger Riordan.) A ROMANY BYE.

Interesting Experiences Charles G.
Leland Has Had with Gypsies.
Part of the glory of knowing Romandy lies in the fact that it is not in books and must be learned from the gypsies themselves, and the the gypsies the world over make it a kind of secret and will speak it or teach it only when they are very good friends with you. They like to have it as a mystery just as children like to make up gibberish that they talk with their chums and outsiders don't understand. Charles G. Leland, the author of the Hans Breitman ballads, knows more of these people and their language than any other American; and there are very few people in the world that knows so much, and gypsies in America and England and Austria, and Russia know him and love him and call him the Romany Rye, that is, gypsy gentieman, because they think no one can understand them so well who is not partly a gypsy himself.

Mr. Leland loves to meet strange



gypsies and speak to them in Romany just to see their astonishment and de-light, and he has had a great many funny experiences in that way. MOLL OF THE ROAD.

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MOLL OF THE ROAD.

One time he was making a walking tour in Wales with Prof. Palmer, of Cambridge University, and as they lunched by the roadside there came by the decentest and poorest of old women; she acted as if she were going to pass them, but they spoke to her and asked her about herself; she said she was walking to a place, twenty miles away, to see her daughter, who was dying in the hospital there; she seemed very sad; but quiet and resigned, for she was very religious; she was a Methodist, she said, and had a letter from her pastor in her pocket; she said she had been a washerwoman for forty years; the gentlemen asked her if she had any money, and she said no, but she did not beg; of course, their hands started for their pockets, but just then Mr. Leland, looking up suddenly, caught a very gypsy-like gleam in her eyes, and he paused with dawning wonder in his mind; he said suddenly; "Can tute rakker Romanes, mriddee" Which being interpreted means, "Can you speak, Romany, my mother?" and she answered bewilderedly:

"The Lord forbid, sir, that I should speak any of them wicked languages."

Prof. Palmer is a great Romany scholar himself, and he now drew his hand out of his pocket and waited with brightening eyes. Mr. Leland how said in Romany:

"You needn't be afraid; I've been upon the road myself."

"La, sir, you be upon the road now," exclaimed the old woman in confusion, whereupon Prof. Palmer cried out:

"It seems to me, old lady, that you understand Romany remarkably well for such a devout Methodist."

The simple old Christian looked from one to the other, speechless, and then Mr. Leland took out one penny and said:

"There, I'll give you this because you

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THE LITTLE THIEF.

are such a very poor person, but I'll give you a pocketful if you'll rakker," that is, talk Romany.

When the gypsy saw she was not going to get into trouble, but that the gentlemen were ready to enjoy the whole trick, her face brightened with witch-like fun, and she put a hand on her hip and said in Romany:

"Gentlemen, I'll have you know when you talk to me you talk to a regular shrewd old trickster," and then she turned to Mr. Leland and cried joyously, "I know who you are now; you're the baro Romany Rye (the tall gypsy gentleman) I've heard about. I've wanted to see you, and now you can go your way and brag about it in your house, that Old Moll of the Roads couldn't take you in; that you found her out; and well, you may brag, for never another rye will say as much. Never." And after she had played at telling their fortunes, because she did not try to make gentlemen who knew so much believe in such doings, she danced away backward in the sunshine, rattling her money in her hands, as agile and happy as a deer-in the forest.

A LITTLE GYPSY THIEF.

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A LITTLE GYPSY THIEF. But though gypsies never believe in their own fortune-telling, and will never try to palm off their prophecies on those who know their tongue and their ways, they always think there is such a thing as true fortune telling, and sometimes when they find that Mr. Leland knows more Romany than they do, and more about gypsies the world over, they will beg him to tell their fortunes—and he will look at their palms studiously and do it! His friends tell him that this is the height of all cheek—to start in to tell typey

girls their fortunes!

Leland delights in playing many tricks that are very gypsy-like in spirit. Wood is scarce in England, and every twig is looked upon as property, and to take one is to steal. One evening when he was walking in the country in England he came in a remote lane on a little gypsy boy dragging along a bag full of wood; it was clear enough that he had neither begged or bought it, and he cast a frightened, despairing look at the well-dressed gentleman who had caught him; but the well-dressed gentleman said: "Larishan," which is Romany for "how do you do," and offered to carry his wood for him. The load was much too heavy for the little fellow; up it went onto the gentleman's broad shoulders, and the queer pair started for the little hut hidden away in the copse. Leland said to the child in Romany, "We must be very careful and not let the police see us," and that remark established perfect confidence between them.

The mother saw them coming and came out to meet them, full of fright, for she thought her small son was going to be arrested, but the stranger threw down the wood and said in a cheerful tone, and in her own tongue: "Mother, here is some wood we have been stealing for you." The poor woman fairly gasped with astonishment, and made half-articulate sounds when she tried to speak, and her mysterious visitor disappeared in the gathering dusk without another word.

A ROMANY OFFER.

All these things are told, though,

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All these things are told, though, among the gypsies all over England, and even printed about from one side of the ocean to the other, and Mr. Leland is welcomed in many a tent and van and gets many a lesson in Romany in return; sometimes he is offered more substantial favors. Once he happened to stroll over to the Hampton races in England, the costermongers' races, with only 6s (about a dollar and a half) in his pocket. Meeting an old gypsy friend, he zeve her a shilling, and said: "I'll stand that for beer, mother, but that's all I can do today, for I've come out with only shave trin-grushi."

Old Liz took the coin and looked at it and then at the Romany Rve: at last she shook her head and said: "It'll never do, Rye; you ought to have more than 5 shillings to see the races through; a reg'lar Romany Rye A ROMANY OFFER.

nave more than 5 sminings to see the races through; a reg'lar Romany Rye like you ought to throw some money around for the credit of his people, and if you want a bar (a pound or \$5) I'll lend it to you and never fear about

Mr. Leland said he'd pull through on his 5 shillings, with all thanks to his friend, but he was made very happy at having a gypsy offer him charity on the lowest race-ground in England.

VIRGINIA FRENCH.

USEFUL CHILDREN.

The Way Little Fingers May Weave

Paper-folding occupies a very important place in the kindergarten, and there seems no reason why it may not also do so in the household by giving to the little folk the keen joy they experi-

also do so in the household by giving to
the little folk the keen joy they experience when allowed to do their share in
the work of the "grown-ups."

Not long ago a child-lover who had
for some time had this thought in her
mind was bidden to a wedding feast,
and during supper she noticed how
often little paper boxes were in requisition. Several sorts of ices were served
in paper cases, and the candied fruit
appeared each individual grape, cnerry,
orange section and so on reposing in is
dainty holder of the same material.
Now that every mother may, with the
aid of sugar and seasonable fruit, make
at very small expense these last-named
delicious goodies at home, it is delightful to realize that even those wno must
study the strictest economy may indulge the young people in what furnishes the prettlest parts of a dainty
supper.

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Besides these cases, only think of the number of articles that little children are number of articles and cake a luncheon to school, paper napkins for wrapping the sandwiches and cake should be folded by the dozens, also the paper mats so indispensable for the dish which is to hold anything fried. Shelf paper, too, and card-board boxes for baking grated cheese, all these and many more simple articles are possible to wee fingers trained in the kinder-garten. Herein also is a holiday hint that may be carried out to any extent, for why may not the older children set to work with paper and cardboard to make Christmas-tree decorations and presents for the younger children. Dolls and their furniture, holders for envelopes and writing paper, and for the pater's newspaper, shaving balls, a waste-paper receiver, valentines when February comes, are possibilities only waiting for some kindly older hands to change into fascinating realities for the ever-eager fingers of chilties for the ever-eager fingers of chil-

A Good After-dinner Trick. All the courses had been served, but there were no nuts and raisins for the small table at which the children sat. 'Wait." said Harold, "I must try my

nagie napkin. magic napkin."
"More tricks," said Tom.
Alice was silent. She liked to make believe the magic was real and so, indeed, it was, that is, as real as any magic ever is. Harold drew in front of him the empty dish, which should have contained the missing dainties, and shook out a large napkin, showing Alice and Tom there was nothing in it. He then threw the napkin over the dish and repeated the following doggerel lines:

dish and repeated the following doggerel lines:
"By thy hidden magic power,
As I lift thee from this dish,
Napkin pour us out a shower,
Of the nuts for which we wish,
And whatever you have handy,
In the way of raisins and of candy!"
He then lifted up the napkin, which
represent before was seen to be one a moment before was seen to be en-tirely empty, and, to the astonishment

tirely empty, and, to the astonishment of those present, even of Tom himself, sugared almonds, nuts and dainties poured into the dish until it was quite full.

The way in which it was done is this: A bag is made of a white hand-kerchief, white cotton cloths will do in the shape of a clown's hat or a cone, large enough to contain all the nuts and dainties required for your purpose. A flap hangs down from one side of the bag, and in the apex or top of the former is cut a round hole, purpose. A flap hangs down from one side of the bag, and in the apex or. top of the former is cut a round hole, a round hole is also cut in the lower end of the flap. A bent pin is fastened in the table cloth on the side that is away from those to whom the trick is shown. After the bag is filed the flap is brought up over the mouth of the former, and, together with the bag, is hooked through the holes cut in them on to the pin hook that is fastened in the table cloth. The flap keeps the contents of the bag from falling out. When the napkin is thrown over the dish a part of it hangs over the bag on the side of the table, and when it is picked up with the right hand the bag is lifted with it, but is hidden by the folds of the napkin that fall over it. Even if the napkin does not entirely hide it, it does not really matter much, for the bag being the same color as the handkerchief, is taken for part of it. The left hand employed to press the napkin frees the flap, disengaging it from the right hand and allows it to affl, and out tumble the good things into the dish. This occupies the attention of the company sufficiently to allow the performer to dispose of the bag. He may, if he chooses, wipe his lips with it, and return it to his pocket as a handkerchief or drop it unseen into a corner.

The trick is extramely simple and easy to perform, and the result never

fails to astonish and delight those present, especially the children. A similar trick used to be performed by Houdin with a somewhat elaborate apparatus of flattened watch springs and cambric handkerchiefs, but the method here described is fully as effective and much easier to prepare.

J. C. BEARD.

THE GERMAN FRAULEIN.

Sue Has Becomea Popular Institution in American Households. (CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.)

There is scarcely a household among the "rich and the great" of America to-day that does not include its German fraulein; many mothers perferring her trauten; many mothers perferring her to other foreign governesses on ac-count of certain stalwart moral as well as intellectual qualities. She is more patient and gentle, less quick-tempered, as intellectual qualities. She is more patient and gentle, less quick-tempered, and radiates generally an atmosphere of truth and sincerity. Her little charges are taught to not tell lies, to deal honestly with one another; in fact, to practice all the more homely, simple virtues. Nor is the stimulating influence upon the imagination of a child to be taken into small account. Steeped, as she invariably is, in the rich legend and fairy-lore of her "deep-thinking, mystical Vaterland," she almost unconsciously develops the imaginary faculties, inducting a child into the very spirit and essence of German thought, paving the way for the easier comprehension in later years of the underlying symbolism of a Faust and the great world mysteries of the Niebelungen. Still more important is the noble diterature to which a knowledge of the German language opens the way. In fact, the advantages arising from this system of early training are not to be enumerated, and the man who wants to add a year or two of German-university, life to his course at Harvard or Yale can never be grateful enough for that trick o' speech that renders it the more accessible.

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ERNESS. Every year is bringing to our shores more and more of these educated for-eigners who are able in most cases to

more and more of these educated foreigners who are able in most cases to
place themselves advantageously
through the teachers' bureau. Many
others are brought back by American
familes from their travels abroad, and
still others come through the interposition of friends already here. Most of
our multi-millionaires, however, depend entirely upon some reliable agency
for this addition to their household.
There are families who require in the
one person a teacher of various languages. The ideal way, however, is to
have a native for each separate tongue.
Suppose, for instance, one begins with
a German fraulein—who can perhaps
teach elementary French—and after
German has been thoroughly mastered,
employ a finishing teacher in French.
There are two classes of governesses,
the child at three or four years of age
and continue with it until it is perhaps
ten or twelve years old.

The requirements of the nursery governess is that she shall have had a
good high-school education, that she
shall be able to teach her own language—and perhaps another one—correctly, the common branches in Engenglish, and many require that she shall
teach music also. In almost all cases
the education of the German fraulein
has been more thorough than that of
the French governess, and the bureaus
insist, as far as possible, that all should
have passed State examination. Such
a governess, of course, performs no
part of a maid's duties, such as dressing the children, putting them to bed,
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part of a maid's duties, such as dressing the children, putting them to
during the morning, to take them out
—usually in the park—in the afternoon, during which time she, of course,
speaks her own language with them,
and then they all have tea together,
after which her duties for the day are
over, except in those rare cases where
one is expected to sew. Such nursery
governesses are usually from the good
bourgeols families, and are paids from
\$20 to \$30 a month and "found."

THEY EARN A GOOD LIVING.

ing and education. In these families the governess has her own private maid and butler—a separate diningroom being provided for her and the children—and she is looked to to teach perfect 'table manners with all the

Though Americans, as a rule, rightly prefer schools for their children, there is a large demand for these governesses from a variety of reasons. Sometimes a child is too backward to keep pace with his fellows, and needs constant individual attention, or through illness has fallen behind and requires extra tutoring. In many families, too, the finishing governess is retained, while the children are in school for the purpose of assisting them in their lessons, keeping them up in languages and music, and generally supervising their work. A very false impression often gets back to Germany in regard to the fabulous sums paid here for such teaching. In the richest family in America, \$100 and "found" is all that is paid, while the best price for private lessons rarely runs above \$2 an hour.

MARION DEPEW. Though Americans, as a rule, rightly

Christmas "Don'ts."

Don't give presents after you have complained for weeks to all your friends about the nuisance of the cur tom. Christmas can be celebrated other ways, and giving gifts ungraclously is one of the most graceless things in the world. If you will give them and still hate to, keep your hate

things in the world. If you will give them and still hate to, keep your hate a secret.

Don't take the tone that you are "cut up" if some one for whom you have nothing gives you a present. The thing is not supposed, to be a matter of bargaining; preserve a decent semblance of a Christmas spirit, and repay the obligation, not by a tardy responding gift, but in some other way at some other time if you want to.

Don't give any one bric-a-brac or pictures unless you are morally sure you know his taste. Presents that must be displayed are apt to be a great strain on the affections; no matter how the receiver may hate them he must father them and deface his rooms with them, or insult the giver. Now a book, for instance, even if the receiver doesn't like it and dosen't want it, can be tucked a way among other books and forgotten, but an ugly vase we have always with is—at least till we can plausibly meet with an accident and smash it.

Don't write your name or anybody else's on cards if you send them; no one can keep a lot of such truck, and it is often highly convenient just to send it on its travels to carry Christmas greeting to other people; and why not?

Don't give presents in the wrappings

some simple things like handkerchiefs and sachet bags for unexpected emergencies, if you like to meet various people with a reasonable token.

Don't put everything off to the last, because you had better for the joy of your friends give nothing than to wear yourself out and be as cross as two sticks when the blessed day comes.

Don't oppress children who are satisted to sadness with toys already, by giving them more; there are other ways of making them happy, or if there are not it is because they are satisted with every pleasure and are the most pitiful beings alive; in that case let them try doing something for poor children who are blessed in powers of enjoyment, and see if the capacity won't prove catching.

Matrimony's Compass.

(Boston Courier:) Bobby. Papa's the captain of our ship and mamma's the pilot.

His teacher. And what are you? Robby. I'm the compass, I suppose—they're always boxing me.

(Chicago Tribune:) "Algy, is there anything between you and that good-looking Miss Huckstep?" asked his friend.

"Only 5000 miles," replied Algeron with a sob. "She's traveling in Europe."



Knights of old—crusaders who went to conquer the world, could not hope to succeed unless they were in virile, hearty health. A man cannot face difficulties if his stomach isn't in good order. Disordered digestion will make a sluggish coward out of any man. It makes his mind stagnant, and he cannot think quickly enough to accomplish anything. It makes his movements slow, and takes all of the snap out of him. Every man in business in America has a fight on his hands just as much as ever had belted knight. It is a matter of life and death, just the same with him as it was with the crusader. Indigestion and all the ills that go with it, mest frequently start in constipation. That keeps all sorts of impurities in the body, forces them into the blood, and so deranges the whole system. Constipation is one of the commonest ills, and to it are traceable most of the disorders that make people sick. Once it gets a firm hold on a man, it is most difficult to overcome it. Temporary relief can be obtained in a thousand ways. There are medicines on the market that will help as long as you take them. There is only one remedy that is a real remedy—that you don't have to keep on taking forever. That is Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. The "Pellets" are tiny, sugar-coated granules, mild and efficient in their action. They effect a permanent cure. You don't become a slave to their use, as with other pills.

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County of Los Angeles, ss:
Before the undersigned, Notary Public
within and for the County of Los Angeles,
State of California, this 18th day of November. 1896, came Ed. Ehrlich, of lawful age,

ber, 1896, came Ed. Ehrlich, of lawful age, who by just duty sworn says:

I live at Mentone, San Bernardino Co., in the State of California. I was troubled for twenty-two years with a severe case of rupture. During all these years I have consulted many physicians and have worn many trusses of many kinds without any benefit whatever. By chance I saw testimonials from people who were cured of long standing ruptures through Prof. Joseph Fandrey, of Sci. S. Broadway, Los Angeles. I made up my mind as a last resort to see the European Specialist.

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In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-siz.

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[Signed] JOS. E. WISEMAN, Notary Public in and for Los Angeles County, State of California.

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as well as I ever did in my life, and I owe every bit of it to those grand
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Christmas Jane,

[Contributed to The Tines.]

EFORE a bright fire, on a cold December evening, sat David and hele-aged couple, genial in spirits, prosperous in circumstances, and their home was bright, warm and cherrul. "David," sald Mrs. Rowley, "this is going to be the quietest Christmas we have ever spent together; none of your nephews, none of my nieces; just us two for the Christmas dinner and all that comes before and after it. It seems to me that it is scarcely worth

work, he took hold of the gay object and raised it, that he might examine it. He raised, and raised it, that he might examine it. He raised and raised it, that he might examine it. He raised and raised it, that he might examine it. He raised and raised it, that he might examine it. He raised and raised it, that he might examine it. He raised and raised it, that he mig



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the bundle, entirely covering it, and tucking it around the sides, so that it looked as if it were a stocking filled to its greatest capacity. Then she rose, gazed at her arrangements with a smile, and left the room.

Mr. Rowley slipped off his coat and drew his feet out of his slippers; then, as gently as was possible to him, he got into bed and covered himself up to his chin. He was trembling with pleasurable excitement.

"If it squeals," he said to himself, "It will be the same as the alarm clock at 7, but I must not wait for either of them."

Turning toward his wife, he gaye her

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"Martha," said he, "it's time to get up." She opened her eyes and looked at him, sleepliy.

"Is it 7 o'clock?" she asked.
"Not quite," said he, "but it is Christmas morning. Merry Christmas, my dear! You ought to get up and see what is in your stocking!"

In a moment she was wide awake.
"Oh, yes, let us look at our stockings!" she cried, and with this she bounced out of bed. Almost in the same second David was on the floor and had touched the button of the electric light.

At first Mrs. Rowley stopped, as-At first Mrs. Rowley stopped, as-tonished, not seeing her stocking hanging where she had put it. Then, perceiving it on the cushion, appar-ently stuffed very full, she immediately imagined, that it was so heavy it had dropped, and stooped to pick it up. As she did so, however, she drew back with a crv.

Imagined that it was so heavy it had dropped, and stooped to pick it up. As she did so, however, she drew back with a cry. "It moves." she exclaimed. "It is something alive."

"I hope so," said Mr. Rowle, who was now crouching by her. "I should have been terribly shocked if it had died."

Mrs. Rowley looked at him in stupe-faction. Before she could speak, however, there was a convulsive movement of the stocking, a very little fist was thrust from it, and the upper part of one of its severad sides fell back. Mrs. Rowley restrained a scream. "It is a baby!" she cried.

"Yes." said her husband, "that's what it is. Santa Clause must have thought it would be useful, esnecially in holiday times, and then again (he mentioned this to me in confidence) he could not think of anything else which would so well fill that stocking!"

Mrs. Rowley did not answer. She stooped and gently took un the baby. She sat on the floor and held it in her lan. It fixed if's round eyes upon her and feebly smiled.

"David Rowley." said she, "where did this come from?"

"You must ask Santa Claus about that," said he. "At least, you can ask two of his assistants, who are down stairs. Good women both—and they will assure you that everything is all right."

The two women were kept waiting a long time down stairs, but at last Mrs. Rowley, who was now sitting in a chair with the baby in her arms, told her husband that he might go down and and ask them to come up.

"But before I go." said he. "I want you to know that I have named it. I have named it Jane Rowley, after my mother."

"Why didn't you name it after me?" she asked, hastily.

"No. indeed, madam," said he. "There's never to be but one Martha Rowley in this world for me. That is the reason I was so quick about it."

Now, Mrs. Rowley greatly disliked the name of Jane, but, of course, under the circumstances, she could not say of the call it Christmas Jane?"

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so.

"Would you mind," she asked, "if,
we call it Christmas Jane?"

"I wouldn't mind it a bit," said he.
Chrissy is growing up to be a fine
girl, and, considering the manner of
her introduction into the Rowley family, it is not likely that she will ever
fall to hang up her stocking on Christmas eve. FRANK R. STOCKTON.
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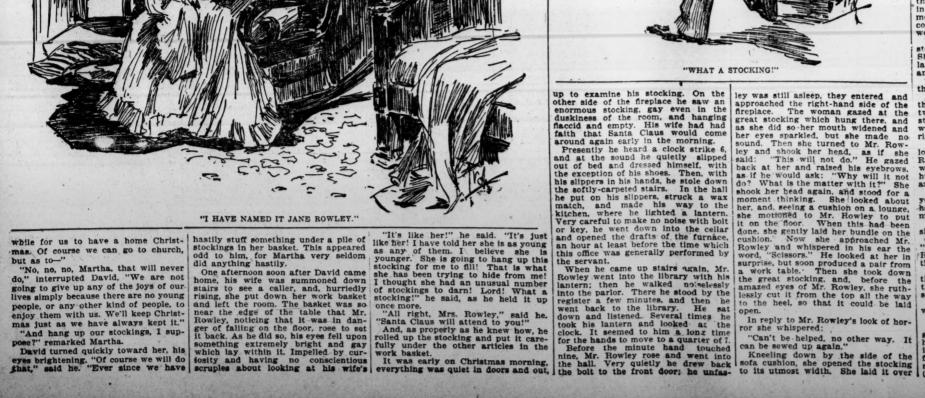
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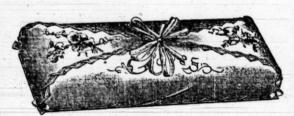
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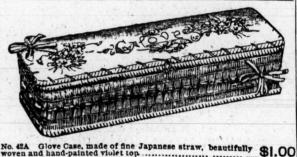




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Extraordinary Fanaticism in Brazil in 1838.

[From a Special Contributor to The Times.]

CABLEGRAM to The Times recently informed its readers that took place last week in the state of Bahia, Brazil. Our sister republic, which in South America coupies the position that the United states does in North America, has been rignularly free from religious excesses. In the days of the imperial regime, Brazil was the first country of Latin origin to proclaim religious toleration. Under the empire, in 1889, there were in this country—the daughter of Portugal—almost 3000 native Protestants, the full country—the daughter of Portugal State of Brazil." the imperial laws which secured religious toleration since the establishment of the "United State of Brazil." the imperial laws which secured religious toleration which secured religious toleration since the establishment of the "United State of Brazil." the imperial laws which secured religious toleration which secured religious toleration switch secured religious toleration have which secured religious toleration have which secured religious toleration which were two well-known caverns of vast extent. Here, said the impostor, was an enchanted kingdom "whereupon Dom Sebastian would immediately appear with glory at the impostor, was an enchanted kingdom which was soon to be disenchanted. "whereupon Dom Sebastian would immediately appear with glory at the dead of a great army," and he would have power to confer wealth and happiness upon all who would anticipate which took place in the then province (now state) of Pernambuco, in the year (1838—while Dom Pedro II was a youth 1838—while Dom Pedro II was a youth and of the sixteenth century, the the veritable Dom Sebastian. The Portugueses Babastian stainsts claim that the veritable Dom Sebastian. The Portugueses Calmath that the veritable Dom Sebastian, as the portuge of Brazil have fixed upon Riod and province stating that one Joac Antonio (John Antonio (Form official document.)

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me a very extraordinary outbreak which took place in the then province (now state) of Pernambuco, in the year 1838—while Dom Pedro II was a youth of 13, and the empire was governed by

a regency.

In 1864 I became acquainted at Rio de Janeiro with the imperial Senator, the Viscount of Boa-Vista, a gentleman of culture who was a leading Liberal in politics, and represented Pernambuco in the upper branch of the Brazilian Parliament. When he was a vounger man and known, before he was prazilian Parliament. When he was a younger man and known, before he was enobled, as Francisco Rego Barras, he was the "Presidente" (answering to our Governor) of the province of Pernambuco

Governor) of the province of Pernambuco.

In 1838, he, as the chief executive of the province, was called upon to suppress a most extraordinary outbreak of fanaticism of the sect of "Sebastianistas," a sect entirely unknown to Americans, or to any other people, except the Portuguese and their descendants in Africa, Asia and the New World. King Sebastian of Portugal in 1574 was a young man of twenty when he conceived the idea of driving the Moors out of Africa, as his ancestors had driven them from Portugal. His first expedition was without result. In 1578 he again invaded Morocco and was ignominiously defeated at Alcazar-Quivir, (the Hesperides of the ancients,) on the Atlantic coast of Morocco. Although his dead body was recognized by his page, a large portion of the Portuguese nation refused to believe that their King was dead. It was the same experience as that in regard to James IV of Scotland, defeated and killed at the battle of Flodden (sixty-five years before the battle of Alcazar-Quivir.) when the flower of the Scottish nobility fell with their King was still alive, had gone on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land, and one day would return to his throne. In Portugal, however, the belief that King Sebastian would one day return became a "cult," and I have met ignorant men in both Portugal and Brazil. who, in this nineteenth century, still expected the return of the King who fell at Alcazar-Quivir in 1578.

So much for explanation of the origin of the Sabastianists. Their distinguishing tenet is that this King is still destined to make his appearance on earth, when all that the most enthusiastic millerite ever anticipated will be realized. More than once have there appeared in Portugal, especially in the In 1838, he, as the chief executive

piness upon all who would anticipate his coming by associating themselves with the said John Antonio (from official document.)

As might be expected, "the said John Antony" found many ignorant, willing, superstitious followers, who believed the said John Anthony when he said that the imaginary kingdom was to be disenchanted by having its soil sprinkled with the blood of 100 innocent children. The impostor told his followers that in default of a sufficient number of children, men and women were to be sacrificed, but he encouraged them with the statement that in a few days they would all rise again and become possessors of the riches of the world. The "prophet," as he was called, did not himself carry out this bloody scheme, but delegated the business of chief sacrifices to one John Ferreirra, who was dubbed with the title of "His Hollness." This prophet put a wreath a rushes around His Holiness's head and required all to kiss his big toe of the right foot on pain of instant death. The official letter of the District Attorney to Francisco Rego Barros, the President of the province, states that "His Hollness," some days before the immolation took place. "married every man to two or three women with superstitious rites in accordance with his otherwise immoral conduct." After other deeds, too indecent and too horrible to describe, he commenced the slaughter of human beings. Each parent of the little band of fanatics was obliged to bring forward one or two of his children to be sacrificed. In vain would the little ones shriek and beg that they might not be murdered. The unnatural parent would reply, "Nao, meu menino, nao ha outro remedio" (no, my, child, there is no remedy—a Portuguese expression equivalent to "it must be.") This "sacrificing" was not all done at once. In the course of two days "His Holiness" had slaughtered twenty-one adults and twenty children, when a brother of the prophet becoming jealous of "His Holiness" that were being enacted in the dense forest of Pianco!

anything. Their prophet had told them that, should an attack be made upon the them, it would be the signal for the appearance of Dom Schastian, the restoration of their dead and the destruction of their dead and the destruction of their enemies. Therefore assoon as they saw the troops, who were coming to rescue the deluded ones from their leaders, the infatuated little band furiously rushed upon the soldiers, uttering cries of defiance, and actually killed five and wounded many others before they would be checked. Nor did they submit until nine of their number (including three women) were actually killed and many others were wounded. Women seeing their husbands dying at their feet did not lament or attempt to escape, but shouted at the top of their voices, "The time is come!" Of those that survived a few escaped to the canes and to the intracacles of the forest, and the remainder were taken prisoners. It was found that the denoted the bodies of the slain.

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some remote part of that state, there is a small commotion in regard to some of the little Protestant churches. But the Brazilian government is liberal and will check intolerance.

J. C. FLETCHER.

The Dairy Breeds.

The Geneva experiment station gives the following results of a series of tests of the leading breeds of milch

cows:

The process adopted was to establish as fairly as could be done, the prices for the milk per hundred weight, for the milk solids for cheese-making per pound, and for butter fat per pound; these figures were placed at \$1.28 per hundred-weight for milk, 9½ cents per pound for milk solids, and 26½ cents pound for milk solids, and 2614 cents

for butter fat.
On this basis Ayrshire milk was worth as such, during the year, \$87.24 per cow; its solids for cheese-making were worth \$81.14; and its butter fat for butter-making was worth

The Ayrshire, according to this showing, would be worth more to the milk-man than to the cheese-maker, and more to the cheese-maker than to the

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The milk of the Guernsey was worth \$88.98, the milk solids were valued at \$75.04 for cheese-making, and \$45.18 for butter-making. Here the Guernsey is shown to be more valuable to either the butter or cheese-maker than to the

lunches Deforehand.

The Macdonough was crowded, from the orchestra rail to the back of the topmost gallery, by 1:35 o'clock, for there were no reserved seats and people had to come early to secure good butter-making. Here the Guernsey is shown to be more valuable to either the butter or cheese-maker than to the milkman.

The milk of the Holstein proved to be worth \$101.35 when sold as milk, \$87.41 in the hands of the cheese-maker and \$70.07 in the hands of the butter-maker. The Holstein is, therefore, a better milkman's cow than a cheese-maker's cow than she is a butter-maker's cow.

The milk of the Jersey at the price assumed was worth \$64.58; the solids were worth to the cheese-maker \$72.37, and its butter fat was valued at \$74.30. The Jersey is, therefore, just the reverse of the Holstein-Friesian. She is at her best in the butter-making, and the next most profitable use for her milk is cheese-making; it is least profitable to the milkman.

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As Mr. Brown proceeded with his apt and witty remarks, he emphasized his relation of the annals of the class by pointing out the symbols on the pluggilt was when he came to the explanation of the presence of the skull and crossbones that he waxed most eloquent. In every rush in which it has ever engaged, '98 has come out victorious. At the end of its sophomore year the class won its most signal victorious. At the end of its sophomore year the class won its most signal victory for on that memorable occasion the class broke up the freshman Bourdon-Minto burial. It was the first time in fourteen years such a thing had happened, and that victory in the chief rush of every year conferred upon the class the right to wear the skull and crossbones upon its junior plug.

skull and crossbones upon its junior plug.

The class president's remarks upon the noble benefactions of Mrs. Hearst and upon the \$4,000,000 which have been promised to the university, and which will be forthcoming as soon as the international architectural competion for plans for the new university shall have resulted in a choice, brought more applause than any other portion of his speech.

The dramatic part of the afternoon

own glorification. To show of what things they are capable, they present an original farce. The class president the assembled college world the glorious achievements of his classmates on cinder-path and football-field, in rushes, debates, college periodicals and all other branches of human activity. The day ends with the junior promenade in the Harmon Gymnasium. Last Saturday was Junior day, and the class of '38 covered itself with glory. Every junior declares that it was, without exception, the best Junior day on record.

Always, hitherto, the junior farce has been presented in Berkeley. There is no adequate hall in the college town, and the day has always been remembered as a fearful jam, with bad stage arrangements for the players and bas acoustics to vex the audience. This year the juniors amnounced that the farce would be acted in the Macdonough, the largest and best of the Oakland theaters. This aroused many protests from lovers of the old custom, but the success of the day proved the wisdom of the choice.

The farce was presented in the afternoon. This was destructive to one long-established custom. Always hitherto the farce has been a morning affair, and after it was over the frater was presented in the afternoon. This was destructive to one long-established custom. Always hitherto the farce has been a morning affair, and after it was over the fraternities have been accustomed to entertain their friends at lunch. As the farce was set for 2:15 ocidek, for the foreoned and the content of the foreoned had the content of the foreoned ha

in his chair in protonic dejection and self-contempt.

The little bit of drama was extremely effective. The dialogue was bright and crise, the emotions of the disenchanted woman clearly and skillfully portrayed, and the unexpected ending striking. Miss Centennia Barto and Walter Starr were the funiors selected to present the curtain-raiser.

"Seven Years After" seems to be recarded as one of the best pieces of dramatic writing from the nen of a Rerkeley man yet presented at a college affair. It is to be presented numerous at the Alcazar Theater, in San Francisco.

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The junior farce was certainly a success, and doubly interesting from the fact that neither play was a cheap and easy burlesque, a medley of college jokes and caricatures of professors and students, but each was an independent expedition into the realm of the playwright, an attempt to write a "really truly" play.

The day's festivities ended as is the custom with the class dance, the junior promenade. The gymnasium was prettilly decorated with blue and gold bunting, and flowers, and the dancing, under the floor managership of Otto Wedemeyer of Los Angeles, very enjoyable.

Junior day was the last expiring flicker of festivity. Now everybody has buckled down to work, for the "exes" are almost at hand and everybody is repenting for all past negligences of which he may have been guilty, in sackcloth and ashes:

An unusually large number of students are going home to Southern California this year to spend their three weeks' Christmas vacation. Most people will go by train, because of the saving of time as compared with ocean

weeks' Christmas vacation. Most people will go by train, because of the saving of time as compared with ocean travel. One party of southern students will probably leave Berkeley the afternoon of Thursday, December 17, and reach Los Angeles Friday, December 18 at 1 p.m. Another lot will start homeward Saturday, and as their special car will be hitched onto the Sunset Limited, they will make a quick journey to Los Angeles.

In two weeks more Berkeley will be as deserted as San Clemente.

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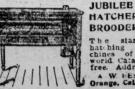


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THE DEEP-WATER HARBOR.

A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE HARBOR QUESTION IN LOS

ANGELES COUNTY.

The Long, Stubborn and Vindictive Fight Made by the Southern Pacific Company Against the Location of a Government Deep-water Harbor at San Pedro.

What Government Engineers Have Reported-Arguments on Both Sides Free Harbor League-Hard Fight at Washington-Bogus Petitions for Santa Monica-A Commission Will Now Decide Finally,

OUTER

railway corporation has injected its inner harbor, formerly shut off from personal interests into the discussion the sea by a bar, and an open road-stead, sheltered from prevailing winds by a high point.

mission appointed by Congress to de-cide the relative merits of San Pedro and Santa Monica, as a site for the harbor, which is to receive a govern-ment appropriation of \$2,998,000. It is, therefore, desirable and appropriate that the facts relating to this most mportant question should once more be passed in review by The Times.

At the outset it should be plainly stated that there would be no "harbor question," so far as any dispute in regard to the proper site for that harbor is concerned, were it not for

of this section, who have investigated the subject, and as they have been vouched for cn several occasions by the commissions of experts sent from washington to investigate. The Times will, in this review, present facts which cannot be disproved, and will avoid anything that savors of prejudice in favor of either site, although, from the very nature of things, any impartial statement on the subject must to some extent bear the appearance of an argument in favor of San Pedro, as there is so little that can be truthfully said in favor of the Southern Pacific site.

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INNER HARBOR

SAN PEDRO HARBOR. Concerning this harbor, the United States engineers, in their report of 1892, say: "At San Pedro there is a land frontage of 4300 feet in the outer harbor, without including the ner line of the breakwater. Since the break water is connected with the slore, a railway can be constructed along it and wharves can be readily projected from its inner face. advantage would be sacrificed if a western entrance were established. This gives for the outer harbor an additional frontage of 8000 feet and a total frontage of 12,300 feet. The frage of the inner harbor is about four miles long. The total frontage for the whole harbor is therefore 33,420 feet, or about six and one-third miles. The approaches are good, as include both sides of the harbor, and Wilming ton Harbor forms a magnificent interior basin."

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SAN PEDRO

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This board was presided over by Col. G. H. Mendell of the Corps of Engineers. The board showed that Santa Monica Bay is entirely open to the west winds which prevail during the greater part of the year, and that it is also exposed to the dangerous waves and seas which occur during the winter months, coming from the south, southwest and west. On the other hand, in ordnary weather the bay of San Pedro is quiet, and vessels lie safely at anchor for the most part, discharging cargoes with lighters while the wind prevails. The board expresses the opinion that it was doubtless this circumstance which made San Pedro Bay the port of Southern California for the Mexican trade, before California was acquired by the Americans. The report further shows that San Pedro Bay is protected to a great extent from the southwest sea by the island of Catalina. In regard to Santa Monica Bay, the board states that the practical location of a breakwater, should one be constructed there, would be in front of the town of Santa Monica. In this connection it should be stated that the scheme as proposed for a breakwater at Santa Monica, is not to locate it in front of the town, but about two miles to the north, where the Southern Pacific Company has built its wharf.

Reverting to the question of protection, the report says: "In its natural condition San Pedro Bay is better protected from the dangerous winds and seas than Santa Monica Bay."

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This, it might naturally be supposed, would have definitely settled the question, but it did nothing of the sort. tion, but it did nothing of the sort. The Southern Pacific Company has been too long accustomed to get its own way, irrespective of the wishes of the people, or of what is right and proper, for it to give up its plans in the face of such a small matter as a report of government experts, even

done what he could, but he had too much to contend with. Shortly after the receipt of these resolutions he succeeded in inducing the Senate Committee on Commerce to increase the appropriation for the inner harbor at San Pedro to the full amount of \$51,000, which was asked for that portion of the work, the larger appropriation being required for the outer harbor. At the same time, provision was made for a board of five engineers to make a new examination of the San Pedro and Santa Monica sites.

ONCE MORE SAN PEDRO. In December, 1892, the latest report of the Board of Engineers, composed of five of the most eminent men in the service, the chairman being now at the head of the Engineering Corps of the United States army, was transmitted to the House and ordered printed. The report was thorough, voluminious, learned, impartial and able. The report said: "The board is unanimously of the opinion that the location selected by the board of engineers of 1890 at the present anchorage at the westerly side of San Pedro Bay, under Point Firmin, is the more eligible location for such harbor in depth, width and capacity to accommodate the largest occan soing vessels. date the largest ocean-going and the commercial and naval necessities of the country."

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The board, after the foregoing recommendations, decided that San Pedro is the better harbor as regards capacity for defense, a place of shelter, and in the matter of location. It recommended a breakwater 8200 feet long, extending southward and eastward from Point Firmin. At said that San Pedro Bay is perfectly safe in ordinary weather, being protected from the southwest seas and winds by Santa Catalina Island, which covers forty-eight degrees of the total area of exposure from the southwest. The proposed deep-water harbor, as recommended by the board was estimated to cost \$2,855.324.

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BULLDOZING TACTICS.

DINNER HARBOR

Angeles believe that it was more power efful in Washington than the government of the United States.

One of the first efforts of the company was to try and capture the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce. An objection was made by several of the directors to passing on this proposition as a board, and on the demand of a number of members a vote was taken of the whole organization. In spite of the strenuous efforts put forth by representatives of the railroad company, nearly two-thirds of the San Pedro site.

Shortly after this action of the Chamber of Commerce came the Republican and Democratic county and Gongress conventions. Another desperate effort was made by the railroad workers to "keep the question out of politics," as they put it; that is to say, to prevent these bodies from expressing the opinion of the public on the question. They did not, however, succeed, and by an overwhelming majority a plank in fovor of a free harbor at San Pedro, and against the monopoly harbor, was inserted in the platforms of the convensered against the monopoly harbor, was in-serted in the platforms of the conven-tions. ARGUMENTS FOR SANTA MONICA The arguments advanced in favor of

Santa Monica Bay (the site of the Southern Pacific Company's whart,) for a deep-water harbor are, briefly, as follows:

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It is asserted that since the big wharf has been constructed, the experience of ship masters has shown the wisdom of the location. It is true that, in ordinary weather, vessels successfully discharge their cargoes at Mr. Huntington's wharf, but in this respect San Pedro possesses equal advantages. On the other hand, it is only necessary to mention the significant fact that insurance rates are less on vessels bound to San Pedro than on those which sail for Santa Monica.

It is said that the holding ground at San Pedro is not good. A complete refutation of this statement is furnished by the testimony of more than forty ship masters, published in the official reports, while it was found very difficult to drum up any similar evidence in favor of Santa Monica.

It is asserted that the water near San Pedro is exceedingly deep, and that therefore the swell is greater than that at Santa Monica, where the depth, while adequate, is much less. An inspection of the charts published by the coast survey shows the incorrectness of this statement.

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MONICA.

With the publication of this report it was supposed that the controversy was at an end. Redondo, which had presented her claims to the commission with clearness and force, announced that henceforth she would do all in her power to assist the San Pedro project. The Chamber of Commerce took up the work where it had been dropped when the commission was appointed, raised a fund by subscription to pay the expenses of a special delegate to Washington, and sent Charles Forman, one of their own directors, and a man of the highest standing in the community, to look out for the The chief objection to the selection of Santa Monica as a site for the deep-water harbor—apart from the engineer-

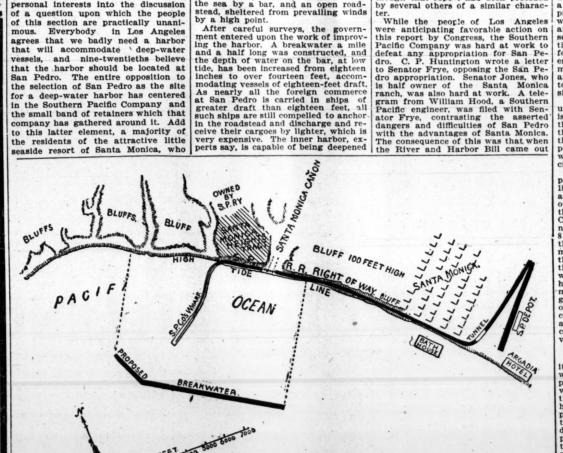
The chief objection to the selection of Santa Monica as a site for the deepwater harbor—apart from the engineering drawbacks of that site, which of themselves are sufficient—is the fact that the company which owns the big wharf at Santa Monica Cañon would have a practical monopoly of the transportation business there, or at least that other companies would be forced to accept such terms as Mr. Huntington might dictate to them.

As above stated, the advocates of Santa Monica claim that universal access can be had to the wharf under the provisions of the bill, but an unbised examination of the facts will convince to the contrary. The coast line facing the whole of the protected harbor, as proposed, consists of cliffs averaging about 175 feet in height, separated from the water by a narrow strip of sandy beach. This is shown very plainly in the views of the coast at that boint. For a distance of three miles the only approach to the area protected by the proposed breakwater is along a narrow beach, averaging in width probably 100 feet between the bluffs on one hand, and the water on the other, and the Southern Pacific Company, which is the party principally urging the construction of this harbor by the government, is the owner of at least half, the width of this approach for all of the distance, and of the full width of it for the remainder.

For 2200 feet east of the center of the protected area of the proposed harbor the water front title is held for a nephew of Mr. Huntington, who is an official of the Southern Pacific Company. The remainder of the water front of the proposed harbor from which all approaches to the harbor from which all approaches to the harbor frontage must be made, the whole of the front of the proposed harbor would be under the control of one transportation company, absolutely. In addition to that, the whar of the Southern Pacific Company, who have a distance of the maximum of protection from the breakwater by reason of its being located just in and a man of the highest standing in the community, to look out for the interests of San Pedro harbor.

The Southern Pacific Company had very little to say about the report, and it was assumed that they, like the others, would acquiesce in the decision. Indeed, it was held to be a matter of honor that they should do so, as they had agreed to the appointment of a board of engineers to finally decide the matter. But when Congress met in the winter of 1892-93 their influence soon showed itself as against any appropriation for San Pedro. By one device or another the consideration of the question was delayed in committee until at last Congress adjourned without action.

BULLDOZING TACTICS.





APPROACH TO SOUTHERN PACIFIC WHARF, SANTA MONICA CANYON.

Heading of The Outlook, a Santa Monica paper favorable to the Southern Pacific site. The view shows clearly the control by the uthern Pacific Company of the approach to the wharf.

are naturally desirous of seeing a large amount of money spent in their midst, and the personnel of the contending parties in this dispute is plainly stated. parties in this dispute is plainly stated. It is a case of the people against a corporation—of the public good against private interest. In fact, it is somewhat difficult for a great majority of the citizens of Los Angeles to exercise patience toward those who advocate the pretensions of a corporation which is opposed to the plain and self-evident facts of the case as they are known to all unprejudiced persons

to twenty-two feet or more at mean low tide, equivalent to a depth of from twenty-six to thirty feet at high tide, by a continuation of the work of jettying and dredging.

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ARMY ENGINEERS' REPORT.

After several previous reports favoring San Pedro as a site for a government deep-water harbor, a board of army engineers—a body against whose integrity even the most bitter opponents of San Pedro dare say nothing—which had been appointed by the act of September 19, 1890, to report on a site for a deep-water harbor between Points Dume and Capistrano, again, in

BULLDOZING TACTICS.

A quiet but determined campaign was then undertaken by the Southern Pacific Company to influence public opinion in Los Angeles. Business men were told that it mattered little to them whether the harbor should be located at San Pedro or Santa Monica, and that, as the Southern Pacific Company was willing to assist in the company and Call them whether the harbor at the latter point, and would fight the San Pedro enterprise, it would be much wiser for the company or san Diego, and Senator Stanford were roundly denounced, and strong resolutions signed by the Mayor, presidents of the Board of Trade and Chamber of Commerce, Supervisors and City Council were telegraphed to Washington. Senator Felton is believed to have that year San Pedro received the immense sum of \$20,000, while Humboldt received \$200,000, Coos Bay, Or., \$210,000, and Oakland, \$150,000.

Then there was something of a row in camp. A mass-meeting of representative men was held at the Chamber of Commerce, at which Mr. Bowers, our then Congressman, who hails from San Diego, and Senator Stanford were roundly denounced, and strong resolutions signed by the Mayor, presidents of the Board of Trade and Chamber of Commerce, Supervisors and City Council were telegraphed to Washing.

the center of the protected area, and thus having advantages which no other wharf can ever attain. It is probably true that, at a large

It is probably true that, at a large expense, a competing railroad company might acquire by condemnation a right-of-way along the entire three miles of narrow beach approaching the harbor, and also through the land of Mr. Huntington, and so run a line into the harbor front to a point where it could put a wharf out into the protected area of the harbor. But such a condition of affairs prohibits the construction and owring of wharves by individuals, or by any organization not endowed with the power of eminent domain for condemning lands. It is true that under the laws of California an individual, or a, company, desiring to construct and maintain a wharf, can condemn an approach to such a wharf, of sufficient dimensions to form a landing place for the wharf on the shore, but such individual or company has no power to condemn a highway for approaching such wharf, and at the harbor in question it would be necessary for every person or corporation desiring to have access to highway for approaching such wharf, and at the harbor in question it would be necessary for every person or corporation desiring to have access to it, to secure in some way an approach along the three miles of narrow strip of beach at the foot of the bluffs.

On the western side of the harbor is a country consisting of the spurs and footnills of a chain of mountains, through which it would be absolutely impracticable to build a line of railroad running from the valley which extends back from the village of Santa Monica to the city of Los Angeles. The land back of the water-front in that section rises to an altitude of about 600 feet. It will therefore be seen that the board of 1892 was certainly fully justified when it stated in its report that "the formation of the ground is such that free access to the land facilities of the harbor would not easily be attainable by all parties engaged in the business of land transportation."

It is true that the bill provides that all transportation companies shall be allowed access to the wharf under certain conditions. But those citizens of California, who, for a quarter of a century, have had experience of the methods pursued by the Southern Pacific Company, may be excused for not desiring to have their harbor located in a corner where that company has established itself in so impregnable a manner.

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The expense of utilizing the proposed Santa Monica harbor would prohibit a competitive use of its advantages. Supposing, for the sake of argument, that by concessions of the owners of the land fronting the proposed harbor, the objections as to the monopolized rights of approach could be overcome, the next difficulty which presents itself is that, in order to reach a depth of water which will accompodate the vessels for whose safety it is proposed to build this harbor, wharves must be constructed to a length of 4500 feet, and which, according to the statements of the Southern Pacific Company, as to the cost of its wharf now in existence at that place, cannot be constructed for very much less than one million dollars each. An examination of the map submitted in the report of the Board of Engineers of 1892, which shows the soundings in the proposed harbor, demonstrates the fact that a commercial depth cannot be reached by any wharf of less length than that owned by the Southern Pacific Company at that place.

It is further a well-known fact that the maintenance of wharves upon the Pacific Coast is made exceedingly expensive by the destruction of the piling by the boring insects which are common to all warm waters. It has been estimated, by competent persons, that six years is the average existence of the best wharf upon this coast; and all persons and companies owning wharves calculate on replacing their supports every few years.

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On page 17 of the Report of Engineers of 1892, they say: "In the Santa Monica Harbor the inner anchorage will be very much diminished by the wharves, which must extend completely across it to reach deep water." A glance at the map of the water." A glance at the map of the proposed Santa Monica Harbor accomproposed Santa Monica Harbor accompanying the report of the board, will at once show that with a dozen wharves projecting from the shore to a length sufficient to reach a commercial depth of water, fully three-fourths of the area of the harbor proposed to be constructed by the government at that point, will be occupied by such structures.

As to the proposition that her here

As to the proposition that has been made by the Southern Pacific Company to permit other transportation companies to enjoy the advantages of the proposed barbor, upon equations with nies to enjoy the advantages of the proposed harbor upon equal terms with itself, some light is thrown upon what might be expected in this direction from the well-authenticated report that, when the Santa Fé Company inquired upon what terms it might use the wharf facilities at Santa Monica, a demand was made for the payment of \$500,000 in cash, and an additional payment forever of a switching charge of \$5 per car, for all cars transported along the beach approaches. SERIOUS DRAWBACKS.

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First-A harbor whose approaches and water front are controlled by a single transportation company, whose monopoly of such advantages can only be broken at a large cost of condemna-

tion.

Second—A harbor where no individual or company not possessing the power of eminent domain can secure any approach at all along the beach and harbor front to a wharf.

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tucky corporation saw that something must be done if they were to retain their prestige, and they finally resolved upon a course which had been recommended to them several years before by their superintendent in Los Angeles—the construction of a harbor or a wharf at, or rather north of Santa Monica. The main feature in the selection of this site will be seen when it is stated that it is the most northerly point tributary to Los Angeles at which a harbor can be built.

This, of course, gives the Southern Pacific Company a great advantage in the coast freight business, as the steamers from the north discharging at their wharf earlier than at any other point in the county, thus giving them the same advantage over Redondo which Redondo previously had over San Pedro.

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In considering this subject the significant fact should not be lost sight of that the Southern Pacific Company once had a wharf at the town of Santa Monica, and did an extensive business there. This was about fifteen years ago, when the company was the only carrier of freight between Los Angeles and any harbor. It then had in operation lines between San Pedro and Santa Monica and this city. Its wharf at Santa Monica was constantly used by vessels engaged in Coast commerce. Between 1870 and 1880 the government had deepened the entrance to the inner harbor at San Pedro from eighteen inches to ten feet at mean low tide. About 1880 the Southern Pacific, having abandoned all attempt to handle ocean freight at Santa Monica, transferred all its business of that kind for Los Angeles to San Pedro. Not only that, but it proceeded to demolish the wharf at Santa Monica, and between that time and 1890 acquired and improved at large expense 3000 feet of wharf frontage on the inner harbor of San Pedro, and a large water frontage on the proposed outer, or deepwater harbor, continuing to use as the only line of railway these San Pedro facilities without any apparent loss or obstacle, for about ten years, during which time the large commerce of this section was handled at San Pedro by the company, which had a monopoly, as there was no competing line of railway between the harbor and this city. During all that time the world was not informed of any objection on part of the Southern Pacific Company to its harbor at San Pedro. Especially was the public left in ignorance of the fact that the anchorage of the large ships which arrived at, and departed from, that port was very poor holding ground. Since then the facilities at San Pedro have been still further improved by the government until vessels drawing which arrived at, and departed from, that port was very poor holding ground. Since then the facilities at San Pedro have been still further improved by the government until vessels drawing eighteen feet have entered and dis-

charged cargoes.

In view of these facts, is it unrea-In view of these facts, is it unreasonable to suppose that the sudden change of front on part of the Southern Pacific Company was due, not to natural shortcomings of the harbor site at San Fedro, but rather to the establishment there of competition, to which Mr. Huntington's corporation has an objection as deep seated as that which his satanic majesty is supposed to entertain for holy water?

THE FINAL STRUGGLE.

THE FINAL STRUGGLE. The final struggle in this long drawn-out controversy between a corporation and the people in Southern California and the people in Southern California took place last spring. Early in the year an organization, known as the Free Harbor League, was formed, with a membership that included several hundred of the most prominent citizens of Los Angeles and surrounding towns, for the purpose of working to get an appropriation for a deep-water harbor on the lines proposed by the various boards of government engineers—a harbor which would be free to all transportation lines that might desire to reach it. It was decided to send a delegation to Congress to urge immediate action by that body. It being supposed that, owing to the condition of the national finances, it would be difficult to obtain at once the large appropriation necessary for the construction of a deep-water harbor, it was decided, as a beginning, to urge an appropriation of the amount recommended in the redeep-water harbor, it was decided, as a beginning, to urge an appropriation of the amount recommended in the report of Col. W. H. H. Benyaurd, who proposed to deepen the entrance to the inner harbor at low tide to eighteen feet, at a cost of \$392,000. It was supposed that, with this as a beginning, the greater work of constructing the deep-water harbor at San Pedro would be taken up later. be taken up later.

FORGERY AND FRAUD. Meantime, large petitions were prenared in Los Angeles in favor of San pared in Los Angeles in favor of San Pedro, and some in favor of Santa Monica, all of which were forwarded to Washington. Much indignation was caused by the discovery that a petition in favor of the Southern Pacific site contained hundreds of forged names. It had been concocted in the office of a Los Angeles evening paper by one of the employés of that paper, who was to receive so much for each name he obtained. Then, when a petiname he obtained. Then, when a peti-tion was got up in favor of San Pedro, signed only by representative and re-sponsible business men of this section, it was found that in the government printing office at Washington the name San Padro, had in some mysterious San Pedro had in some mysterious manner been changed to Santa Monica. When Senator White called attention to this fraud—or mistake, whichever it may have been—the entire first edition of the report containing the error was destroyed.

HUNTINGTON'S LITTLE JOKER. The delegation sent to Washington received promises and encouragement from members of the committee, and was intimated by persons who

lasted several days, Senator Frye, representing the Huntington interests, agreed to accept the White amendment, with slight modifications. The amendment was then inserted in the bill, which was referred to the Conference Committee, where it was again attacked, and Senators White and Perkins had to fight hard for two days before that committee in order to have the amendment retained. This was finally done, and the bill passed in that form. It appropriates \$2,998,000 for a deep-water harbor, to be located either at San Pedro, in case the deepwater harbor at San Pedro, in case the deepwater harbor should be located at Santa Monica. Should the deep-water harbor be located at San Pedro, then only \$50.000 is to be expended on the inner harbor at that place.

The committee, which has since been appointed, and will be in Los Angeles on Wednesday, will have at its service the Coast Survey vessel Gedney, and a corps from the Coast Survey, to assist in gathering data.

Such is the story of the fight made by the people of Los Angeles and Southern California for a free deepwater harbor, a story of corporate greed, arrogance and treachery on the one side, and of a determined and tireless struggle by the people on the other. The people of this section are now satisfied. A committee of high-minded and impartial men, in regard to whose integrity there can be no question, has been appointed, with power to act. That is as much as the people of Southern California have ever asked. They want a harbor open to all lines of railroad, that will accommodate the commerce of this rapidity-growing section, and they want it located at the best site. Certainly there is nothing unreasonable in this. All that now remains to be done is for the business men and trade organizations of Los Angeles to afford the members of the commission every assistance in ascertaining the full facts relating to the harbor question.

GRANT ON THE FIELD.

He Was Cool and Deliberate, but Af-Gen. Horace Porter in the December Century:) While the most critical movements were taking place, Gen. Grant manifested no perceptible anxiety, but gave his orders and sent and received communications with a coolness and deliberation which made a marked impression upon those who had been brought into contact with him for the first time on the field of battle. His speech was never hurried, and his manner betrayed no trace of excitability or even impatience. He never exhibited to better advantage his peculiar ability in moving troops with unparalleled speed to the critical points on the line of battle where they were most needed, or, as it was sometimes called, "feeding a fight." There was a spur on the heel of every order he sent, and his subordinates were made to realize that in battle it is the minutes which confeeted by Sight of Blood. the heel of every order he sent, and his subordinates were made to realize that in battle it is the minutes which control events. He said, while waiting for Burnside to get into position and attack: "The only time I ever feel impatient is when I give an order for an important movement of troops in the presence of the enemy, and am waiting for them to reach their destination. Then the minutes seem like hours."

He rode out to important points of the line twice during the day, in company with Gen. Meade and two officers of the staff. It was noticed that he was visibly affected by his proximity to the wounded, and especially by the sight of blood. He would turn his face away from such scenes, and show by the expression of his counterpance.

wounded, and especially by the signification of blood. He would turn his face away from such scenes, and show by the expression of his countenance, and sometimes by a pause in his conversation, that he felt most keenly the painful spectacle presented by the field of battle. Some reference was made to the subject in camp that evening, and the general said: "I cannot bear the sight of suffering. The night after the first day's fighting at Shiloh I was sitting on the ground, leaning against a tree, trying to get some sleep. It soon began to rain so hard that I went into a log house near by to seek shelter, but I found the surgeons had taken possession of it, and were amputating the arms and legs of the wounded, and blood was flowing in streams. I could not endure such a scene, and was glad to return to the tree outside and sit there till morning in the storm." I thought of this remark while sitting by his bedside twenty-one years afterward. When he, in the last days of his his bedside twenty-one years after-ward, when he, in the last days of his

fatal illness, was himself undergoing supreme physical torture. THE GREAT KAHN'S PARKS.

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From that corner of the inclosure which is toward the northwest there extends a fine lake, containing fish of different kinds, which the Emperor hath caused to be put in there, so that

hath caused to be put in there, so that whenever he desires any he can have them at his pleasure. A river enters his lake and issues from it, but there is a grating of iron or brass put up so that the fish cannot escape in that

Moreover, on the north side of the palace, about a bowshot off, there is a hill which has been made by art from the earth dug out of the lake; it is a good hundred paces in height and a mile in compass. This hill is entirely covered with trees that never lose their leaves but remain ever green. And I covered with trees that never lose their leaves, but remain ever green. And I assure you that wherever a beautiful tree may exist, and the Emperor gets news of it, he sends for it and has it transported bodily with all its roots and the earth attached to them and planted on that hill of his. No matter how big the tree may be, he gets it carried by his elephants: and in this way he has got together the most beautiful cyliection of trees in all the world. way he has got together the most beau-tiful collection of trees in all the world. And he has also caused the whole hill to be covered with the ore of azure, which is very green. And thus not only gree the trees all green, but the hill it-self is all green likewise; and there is nothing to be seen on it that is not green, and hence it is called the Green Mount, and in good sooth it is named well.

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8 DOZEN COMFORTERS, Silkaline overed on both sides, turted and filled with finest snowflake cotton, extra lovered on both sides, turted and filled with finest snowflake cotton, extra lovered on both sides, turted and filled with finest snowflake cotton, extra lovered on both sides, turted and filled with finest snowflake cotton, extra lovered to both sides, turted and filled with finest snowflake cotton, extra lovered to both sides, turted and filled with finest snowflake lates and start in price start wool and \$2.29

50 PAIR WHITE BLANKETS, California make in pure wool, 10-4 size, have pink, yellow and red borders and worth \$5.50 per pair;

3 days' bargain price \$3.58

5 cases Snowflake Batts, one roll large enough for a comforter, worth 750

90c; 3 days' bargain price 750

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TOY SPECIALS

MEN'S HOSE, extra heavy, silk finish, ishades of tan, plain and drop stitch, worth 35c per pair: DOTTED SWISS, 36 inches wide, large DOTTED SWISS, 30 inches and small dots, a square yard 121c is worth 20c; 3 days' bargain

MEN'S UNDERWEAR, Shirts and Drawers, in natural colors, 75 per cent wool, well made and trimmed, worth 75c each; 3 days' bargain price.

Gents' Furnishings

Muslins and Sheetings. BLEACHED MUSLIN, extra heavy weave, full 36 inches wide, great 7½c value: 3 days' bargain price... Limit of 25 yards

BLEACHED SHEETING, Pequot brand.
2 yards wide, sold over every counter at 20 per yard; 3 days.
Limit of 20 yards.

Orders

From out of town will be filled at advertised prices un to Wednesday

Linen Department.

10 PIECES Unbleached German Damask

15 PIECES Bleached German Damask, extra heavy round twill, large variety of block and snowdrop design 58°C worth 85c; 3 days' bargain price.....

50 DOZEN Satin Damask Napkins, extra heavy quality, handsome de-signs, 4 size, a bargain at 32 per doz; 3 days' bargain price... \$1.50

25 DOZEN Barnsley's Damask Napkins, satin finish, extra size, large line of floral weaves, suitable for Christ. \$2.39 bargain price......

10 PIECES Barnsley Crash, extra heavy and all linen (warranted.) worth 12½c per yard: 3 days' bargain 83c price

5 DOZEN Lunch Cloths, woven colored borders, sizes 50 by 69 inches, worth 85c; 3 days' bargain 50c

RAMONA FLANNELS, extra heavy fleeced back; come in shades of pink, cream blue and gray; just the cloth for children's dresses; worth 30c per yard; 3 days; 122c bargain price.

JERSEY EIDERDOWN FLAN NEL, pure wool, full weight: large line of striped patternt: worth 50c per yard; 3 days' bargain price....

Girls Tam O'Shanter Caps. Scotch Wool Cloth, combination colors, worth 75c; 3 days' bargain price 49c

Specially

Mentioned.

Children's Tam O'Shanter Hats, made of Scotch Plaids, with quill, worth 75c; 3 days' bargain price

42c

Ladies' Garters, silvered clasp, rumed silk elastic, in colors of red, pink, blue and black, worth 40c, 3 days' bargain price

24c

Ladies' Hose Sup-porters, made with Belt, come in black only, worth 20c: 3 days' bargain price 13c

Ladies' Knitted Skirts, made of Egyptian yarn, a great variety of colors, worth \$1.50; 3 bargain price

95c

25c

Pleated Chiffon, 4 inches wide, colors of cream and black, worth 75c vard: 3 days' bargain price

50c TOY SPECIALS.

Rocking Horses, double, worth \$1.25, at 98c Fancy Tin Stoves, with dishes, at 25c Fancy Tin Kitchens, with dishes, at 110c Picture Books, extra large, with 50c, at 25c Six key Pianos, worth 75c, at 45c Large Drums, worth 75c, at 49c Toy time is right now.

HOME PRODUCTS EXHIBIT.

VALUABLE BOTH TO PRODUCERS
AND CONSUMERS.

Display Promises to Be of Unusual Interest — Railroads Will Give Excursion Rates—Edison's Latest Invention Will Be on Exhibition.

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The Merchants' and Manufacturers Association of this city is in receipt of a communication from a similar organ-ization in San Francisco in which is shown the great benefits Northern Cal-ifornia derived from the Home Products Exhibition held there in September. In order to test public opinion in regard to patronizing articles manu-factured at home, the management asked visitors to sign a pledge to the effect that home products would be purchased by the signers in all cases where it was possible. As a result over

15,000 of these pledges were secured. The Executive Committee of the Home Products Exhibition of Los An-geles has decided to follow the example of San Francisco in this respect and the visitors to Hazard's Pavilion during the coming month will be given an opportunity to pledge themselves to keep their money at home and to pat ronize and foster home industry. It will be a revelation to many reidents of Southern California when they see and examine the various and excellent articles that are manufactured in this section of the State and that can be purchased at less expense than the products shipped here from the East. The Executive Committee has met with great and encouraging success among manufacturers, merchants and individuals. An extensive programme is being prepared, which promises to visitors many attractive and novel features. ronize and foster home industry.

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January 18 has been set aside as "German day," when all the German societies in Southern California. will visit the exposition and when singing and athletic contests will take place.

A handsome and unique design for a poster has been adopted, that will attract general attention. The poster is of the Aubrey Beardsley style and represents a handsome and stylishly-dressed woman, while in the distance is a view of Hazard's Pavilion in a sea of light. This poster will be distributed throughout Southern California.

The rallroads have evidenced their interest in the enterprise by allowing excursion rates from all points of Southern California on special days, when excursions will be run, allowing the visitors to become acquainted with the products and extent of the industrial development of this section.

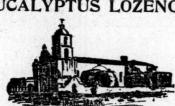
Reports have been received from the Chambers of Commerce and other commercial institutions in Southern California, showing that a deep interest is being taken by the surrounding towns in the success of the Home Products Exhibition and that great results are anticipated.

The olive-growers of Southern California will make a grand and unique display, showing the development of that industry. The olive in all its various stages will be exhibited, as a table huxury as well as the oil.

The Executive Committee is negotiating for the display of one of Edison's latest electric inventions, the luminier—cintiomimeograph. By the hidd of this device the famous Fortysecond-street railroad station will be shown with trains and passengers arriving and departing. President-elect McKinley will be seen at his home in Canton, reviewing the visiting delegations, and many other interesting scenes will be exhibited in life-like activity.

A VALUABLE FAMILY MEDICINE

EUCALYPTUS LOZENGES



RIVERSIDE, CAL., May, 21, 189.6

TOY SPECIALS.

Doll Carriages, wood wheels, wth \$1, at 73c Doll Coaches, steel wheels, wth \$1.25, at 98c Doll Cabs, with parasol, wth & at.....\$1.09 Doll Buggies, beauties, wth \$2.50, at....\$1.80 Doll Cradles, wood slats, wth \$0.0, at ...25c Doll Beds, wood slats, wth \$0.0, at ...25c The latest Trilby Dolls just in.

CALIFORNIA EUCALYPTUS CO.: I have used your Eucalyptus Lozenge in my family with great success. It acts quickly with the children in breaking up colds, and also with older ones in removing disagreeable tickling sensations in the throat.

J. C. STEBBINS.

Los Angeles, Cal, Sept. 9, 1894. I was sick with a cold which settled on my lungs. For a week I was cough ing; I thought I would die. My lungs pained me so badly I could hardly breather. In twelve hours after I commenced taking the Eucalyptus Lozenge I did not cough any, and have not since. I can truly say that they give quicker relief than any thing I have ever taken for a cold.

FROM PERSONAL LETTER.

At your druggist's or send 25 cents to the CALIFORNIA EUCALYPTUS COMPANY. LOS ANGELES, CAL, and a box of Lozenges will be sent to you post-paid

NILES PEASE, Main Main 338 ...Holiday Goods

Special fine line of Fancy Chairs and Rockers, Rattan Goods, Parlor Tables, Ladies' Desks, Book Cases, Smyrna, Fur. Daghestan and other Rugs. Prices Low, Call and see them,

337-339-341 South Spring Street

Band Concert.

Following is the programme of the concert at Westlake Park today, by the Seventh Regiment Band: "The Silver Trumpets," grand pro-essional march, (Viviant.) Waltz, "Arstist's Life" (Strauss.) Serenata Mexicana, "Lexla" (Cham-ers.)

'Caprice Heroique' (Awakening of the Lion,) (Di Kontski.)
INTERMISSION.
Overture, "The Fairy Lake" (Auber.)
Idylle, "The Tyrolean and His Love"
(Zikoff.)

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Selection from "Macbeth" (Verdi.)
Intermezzo, "Twilight Whispers"
(Laurendeau.)
March, "The Seventh Regiment" by
request, (Howard.) request, (Howard.)
Finale, "Hail California," State song

Hog Cholera Raging

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The Sheriff was called upon yesterday to investigate a peculiar charge. It sppears that a hog-raiser, whose place is at Ninth street, near the river, has a lot of swine that are affected with choiera. For some cause, presumably spite work, the owner of the swine, threw some meat, such as liver, etc., into the pen of his neighbor adjoining him. The neighbor at once suspected that the rival hog-raiser was trying to spread the disease to his hogs, so he secured some of the supposedly diseased liver and will have an expert analyze it. If it should prove to contain cholera, the neighbor will no doubt swear out a warrant for the arrest of the diseased-hog owner.

Finger Cut Off.

Frank Tuttle, who lives at No. 638
South Olive street, while cutting fodder yesterday afternoon, caught the foreinger of his left hand in the machine and had it cut off at the first joint. He was attended at the Receiving Hospital.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION. Large Number of Teachers' Certificates Granted.

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The County Board of Education held a meeting yesterday for the purpose of passing upon teachers' certificates. The following were granted grammar grade certificates on California Normal diplomas: Nellie V. Hutchinson, E. R. Camp, Emily E. Tower, Martha Roab, Lama S. Adams, Frank Fanning, Anna M. Dilworth, Emma E. Lillie, Mabel Gray, M. Louise Johnson, Edna T. H. Manley.

Anna Reld was granted a grammar grade certificate on Illinois State Normal diploma.

R. Ellen Hill was granted a grammar grade certificate on a Kansas life diploma.

Arminta M. McMahan was marked a Martinta M. McMahan was marked to the control of the contro

diploma.

Arminta M. McMahan was granted a grammar grade certificate on the elementary and Latin course diploma from the Kansas State Normal.

En.ma C. Marbell was granted a primary grade certificate on elementary diploma from the Pennsylvania Normal.

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Other grammar grade certificates were granted as follows: Zella E. Wood, Oregon diploma; Annie J. Baker, Rhode Island Normal; Mabel Cory, Stanford University diploma; Emma M. Daggett, Kern county grammar certificate; Julian V. Finney, Minnesota State life diploma.

Burlin Hall was granted a High School certificate on Stanford diploma; Lucy C. Mount, same certificate on Stanford diploma; C. Wount, same certificate on Stanford diploma; Arthur May Mowry was granted a High School certificate on diploma from Brown University and ten years' experience.

A large number of Normal teachers' certificates were renewed.

Normal documents were granted to Abble Pratt, Margaret Henderson, Miss Franc W. Smith was recommended for an educational diploma.

- - Between 4th and 5th Streets.

TOY SPECIALS.

STOCK OF McBURNEY'S

Boston Team Collars, were \$3,

1-inch Harness Straps, were 25c.

1-inch Horse Lines, were \$3.

14-inch Halters, were \$1,25,

MUST GO.

TOY SPECIALS.

SHOW CASES AND SHOP FIXTURES FOR SALE. HARNESS DEALERS INVITED TO CALL-ONE-HALF OF STORE FOR RENT.

THESE PRICES WILL TELL.

Burney's Kidney and Bladder Cure has become so widely and favorably known that, in justice to the demands of trade and those desiring to avail themselves of the great curative powers of this valuable remedy, I am compelled to dispose of all other business interests in order to devote my entire attention to its manufacture and sale, for the noted sentences, "One Bottle Cures" and "Relief in Twenty Minutes," have become household words. It is for these seasons that I now offer. without reserve, my entire and most elegant stock of hand-made and cus-

tom harness and supply the trade at the old stand, where for 13

years I have carried on a successful business in the harness line. Any person presenting this "ad" at this office will get sample package of McBurney's Liver Tablets

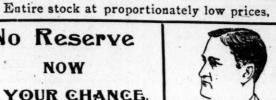
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We open tomorrow in our new location, Bradbury Building, 224 West Third street-ground floor,

Gentlemen who want the best in the way of clothes are asked to look at our stock of Winter Woolens,

We shall make Suits and Overcoats to order from \$25 up; Trousers to order from \$8 up. Nothing cheaper. GOOD clothes can't be made

There is poor tailoring, good tailoring and BEST tailoring. For years the Polaski work has been the best. It is going to be the best for years to

We are not competing with "sweat shops" for business, We are not

competing with anybody. We are simply making the best clothes. 224 West Third St.,

Christmas Gifts...

When you buy, don't forget that a nice Trimmed Hat is useful as well as ornamental, and makes the happy receiver more happier. There are some worthless toy or bric-a-

We have Trimmed Hats for the little girls, as well as for the big ones. A visit to our store will convince you that our prices are as low as the lowest, and our styles pretty and up-to-date.

Eclipse Millinery Co.,

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Near Third.



Los Angeles
Incubators and
Bruoders
Are the best. See the
before buying.
POULTRY SUPPLY
Bone Cutters, Air.
Cutters, Shell, Card



Dr. A. J. Shores CURES CATARRH For \$5 per month,

HOW WE SHALL FLY.

LANGLEY'S STEAM FLYING MACHINE WHICH TRAVELS FASTER THAN A HORSE CAN TROT.

A Visit with the Inventor to the Island in the Potomac Where His Experiments Take Place and a Description of the Most Successful Flight Yet Made.

How the Machine Looks When Flying-Its Wonderful Speed and Its Practical Possibilities-How it is Made and How it Works-A Chat with Mr. Langley About the Principles of Successful Flight.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.
HIN the past few months invention has been made e at Washington which mises to revolutionize the yel of the world. It may nefer the vessels of the ocean and carry the locomotives clouds. The development of all probability, change the ten the world, and it may so terrible that the nables of the future will be arbitration. I refer to tey's aerodrome. The word runner, and the machine is ITHIN the past few months here at Washington which promises to revolutionize the travel of the world. It may transfer the vessels of the ocean transfer the vessels of the ocean the air and carry the locomotives mong the clouds. The development of will, in all probability, change the arfare of the world, and it may ake war so terrible that the national troubles of the future will be settled by arbitration. I refer to Mr. Langley's aerodrome. The word angley's aerodrome. The wo such that it runs faster upon the surface of the air than a horse can

For sixteen years Mr. Langley has steadily pursued his work upon it. Engrossed as he has been, first in astronomical investigation, and later in administering the greatest of our ntific institutions, he has had only ments and hundreds upon hundreds of failures, he has accomplished what scientists once declared to be impos Knowing that his work was done almost at the risk of his scientific done almost at the risk of his scientific reputation being questioned, during the early years of it, he kept the ob-ject of his investigations to himself. Today the world knows practically nothing of them, and it was only las May, after persistent urging on the part of his friend, Prof. Alexander Graham Bell, that he allowed him to state the fact that he had succeeded.

THE AERODROME IN FLIGHT. Since then additional improvements have been made. A new and better machine than that which flew half a machine than that which flew half a mile in May last has been tested. It has made a more successful flight, and today Mr. Langley permits me to give in my own words the first full description of his success to the public. I have spent several days with him upon the island in the Potomac River, about thirty miles below Washington, where his last experiments have been conducted, and on Saturday, November 28, I witnessed the most successful flight which has yet been made. I saw this machine, made chiefly of steel, weighing as much as a four-year-old boy, yet so large that it would just about fill the average parlor, moved by a steam engine which was a part of it, dart forth from the launching stage and fly in an almost straight line through the air a distance of more than 1500 yards, or over three-quarters of a mile. It flew almost as far as the length of Pennsylvania avenue, between the treasury and the between the treasury and the tol. The flight was horizontal, There was not a quiver of the wings, and the great bird-like aerodrome and the great bird-like aerodrome swam, as it were, upon the planes of the atmosphere. It first flew to the right, across the bay toward a strip of woods, and, as Mr. Langley and myself watched it, our hearts for the moment came into our throats, for it seemed as though it would dash itself against the trees. As it neared them, however, it gracefully swept around and downward, then turned and rose and as straight as an arrow flew across the bay where we were standing on to. and downward, then to an arrow flew across and as straight as an arrow flew across the bay where we were standing on toward Washington. It continued to fly in this straight horizontal line until the water which furnished the steam was exhausted, when it slowly but was exhausted. the water which furnished the steam was exhausted, when it slowly but gracefully swept down and rested upon the water. It lighted so gently that not a bit of its machinery was injured, and had it not been that the evening shades were falling it could have been flown again. I have never seen any inanimate thing look so like a thing of life.

It was as graceful as any bird, and as it swam through the air its pro-pellers, which were going about at the rate of over a thousand revolutions a pellers, which were going about at the rate of over a thousand revolutions a minute, made a whirring noise like the wings of a bird in rapid flight. The feathery smoke of the engine could be seen wreathing its way out of the smokestack, and, as the setting sun caught its silken wings and the white, silvery substance which bound the body containing its machinery, it seemed like a wonderful new species of bird. The great danger of losing the machine in the trees led Mr. Langley to put only enough water in it to allow it to fly about one and one-half minutes. It could have carried water for about five minutes, but as it was, it flew by two could have carried water for about five minutes, but as it was, it flew by two independent stop watches, one minute and forty-five seconds, being the only flight of any aerial machine except ities! which has ever lasted for more than a very few seconds. In this minute and three-quarters it flew a distance of almost a mile, going at the rate of over thirty miles an hour, and showing that if it had been fully supplied with water, it would have flown for more than two miles. As it was, its flight was only limited by the cx-haustion of its steam, and there seemed no reason but that with more steam to run it, it might not have gone on indefinitely. With a machine ten times its weight, Mr. Langley told me, a condensing apparatus could be carried upon it which could use the water over and over again, and the same amount of water would carry it for hundreds of times its present flight. The machine flew against the wind. There was nothing of the balloon nature about it. There were no gas bags to uphold it. Its wings were immovable, and they merely steadled it as it flew like a bird wings were immovable, and they merely steadled it as it flew like a bird through the air. The force which carried it onward was generated upon it.

SOME WONDERS OF THE AERO-

ize the remarkable thing which Mr. Langley has accomplished. Let me re-peat it:

The aerodrome is a machine made almost altogether of steel. A balloon floats because it is lighter than the air. This machine weighs more than one thousand times as much as the air through which it moves. The working parts of its machinery are of steel, and it carries a peculiar steam engine which forces it along through the air. In constructing this machine, the question of weight was an all important one, and everything had to be reduced to the minimum. The aerodrome, weighing less than thirty pounds, carries about four pounds of water. This is shout two quarts, and the little engine is so wasteful of it that its flight must be proportionately short, for

or a norse to a peck measure, and its weight to that of a kitten, and you have some idea of Mr. Langley's aerial engine.

What does the aerodrome look like? I have described it in flight. I examined it at rest and I have gone carefully over its different parts. It is about fifteen feet long and about fourteen feet wide from the tip of one wing to the other. The machine moves through the air on much the same principle as that by which the twin-screw steamer forces its way through the water. On each side of the aerodrome there is a sort of screw propeller or pair of blades in the shape of one cutting of a screw, so hung upon a pivot that when the steam is on they fly around at the rate of a thousand revolutions a minute. They look, in fact, much like the wheels of an electric fan when in action. They cut the air so rapidly that you cannot see the blades, and they are, in fact, a pair of wheels about four feet in diameter flying at this wonderful speed around through the air. As they move they screw the air-ship onward, and this advancing motion keeps it up in somewhat the same way that a swift skater can be supported by thin ice.

The machinery is in a metal receptacle which ends in a smokestack. This is hung to a framework of steel. The wings, which are stationary, are fastened to the fupper part of the framework, and they extend out above the body holding the machinery.

The machinery is wonderfully delicate, but it is as strong and at the same time as light as scientific investigation can make it. The fuel is gasoline, which is converted into gas before it is used, and which furnishes such lintense heat that it would melt the boiler in a second if there were not a special pump by whileh the water to

intense heat that it would melt the boiler in a second if there were not a special pump by which the water is kept flowing rapidly through the boiler, the intense heat converting some of the water into steam as it flows. Every part of the machinery is of the most practical nature, and it has been constructed at an enormous has been constructed at an enormous as been constructed at an enormou expense of patience and experiment. It may be said that nearly every atom It may be said that nearly every atom of the aerodrome as it is now put together is the result of experiment. The making of the boiler alone consumed months of work. Every bit of the machinery had to be constructed with scientific accuracy. It had to be tested again and again. The difficulty of getting the machine light enough was such that every part of it had to be made many times. It would be in full working order when something would give way, and this part would have to be strengthened. This caused additional weight and necessitated the cutting off of that much weight from some other part of the machinery. At times, the difficulty seemed almost heart-breaking, but Mr. Langley went on piece by plece and atom by atom, until breaking, but Mr. Langley went on piece by piece and atom by atom, until he at last succeeded in getting all the parts of the right strength and propor-tions. Even after he had completed his model and had it ready for flight, he was confronted with an unexpected difficulty, which was, it seemed at the time, almost impossible to surmount.

This was the launching of the ma-chine into the air. Offe of the most dif-ficult things that large, soaring birds chine into the air. Offe of the most difficult things that large, soaring birds have to contend with in fiying is ingetting a start. You know how difficult it is to launch a ship into the water. It is far more difficult to launch an air-ship. Mr. Langley found that his machine had to be clamped down in the launching stage and to be arranged in such a way that the machinery could be started, so that it should receive a slight initial velocity, and then be released with a spring. This looks easy. It was hard. But Mr. Langley at last succeeded in launching his machine by hanging it to a movable table, so that it could be turned to face the direction in which the flight was to be made, and so that the wheels of the table would carry the aerodrome straight out in a horizontal line and launch it off into the air. The launching apparatus which we used on November 28 was built on the top of a houseboat, and the work of arranging the table was no small one. As I stood upon it and examined its construction, Mr. Langley said: "It doesn't seem to be much, but it is the result of five years' of experiments."

STUDIES OF FLYING BIRDS. I here asked Mr. Langley what first attracted his attention to aerial navi-

"I can't tell when I was not inter ested in it," he replied. "I used to watch the birds flying when I was a boy and to wonder what kept them up. I afterward heard the theory that efinitely. With a machine ten times to weight, Mr. Langley told me, a consing apparatus could be carried upon t which could use the water over and twick again, and the same amount of rater would carry it for hundreds of imes its present flight. The machine lew against the wind. There was noiting of the balloon nature about it. There were no gas bags to uphold it. Its wings were immovable, and they merely steadled it as it flew like a bird through the air. The force which carried it onward was generated upon it. SOME WONDERS OF THE AERO-DROME.

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Watch the birds flying when I was a by and to wonder what kept them up. I afterward heard the theory that they possessed great muscular power. You know some scientific men have strength of birds must be enormously greater in proportion than that of men. But this it semed to me could not be true. I could not believe what some French mathematicians calculated, namely, that an eagle must be nearly as strong as a man. It finally occurred to me that there must be something in the condition of the air which the soaring birds instinctively understood, but which we do not. This idea I held for a long time, the flight of birds continuing to be a wonder to me. It is curious how an idea of that kind sticks to you. I seldom saw a bird flying that I did not think of it, and even lately I have watched them for hours, trying to understand how they could move about through the air, rising and falling, soaring up and sailing down without any motion of the wings."

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"But, Mr. Langley, I thought that birds used a great deal of strength to fly. They can't fly without moving their wings, can they?"

"The soaring birds can," replied Mr. Langley, and they do fly long distances with apparently very little exertion. Darwin once watched the South American condors, which, you know, are impense birds, for hours. He says they ascended and descended, soared and circled about, with scarcely

"Then you early saw that there was something wrong in our theories as to the wind, Mr. Langley?"

"Yes," was the reply, "I have always felt so, and I remember well when I began to experiment to see if my supposition was correct. It was after a meeting of a scientific association in which some one stated that an inanimate thing could, under certain circumstances, be made to move in the air against the wind by the power of the opposing wind itself. He claimed that he had made experiments proving this fact, and he stated as an evidence of the truth of his theory that he had seen birds not only come close to the earth and hang stationary in the air, but even advance against the wind and

the movement of a feather. He could not detect a single flap of their wings.
"I remember," continued Mr. Langley, "how I stood one cold November day on the Aqueduct bridge that crosses the Potomac River above Georgetown and watched a turkey buzzard which was lazily soaring round and round, watching something in the river below. The wind was blowing a gale. It was going at the rate of at least thirty-five miles an hour, still the bird moved about with the greatest ease, keeping generally on one level, but swaying a little as it went round and round. It was not more than sixty feet above me. I could see it perfectly and could not note the flapping of a wing, though I watched it for a long time. I stayed, in fact, until I got so cold that I had to leave."

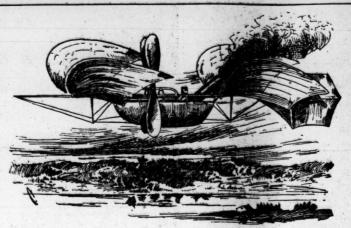
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"It must have been interesting, Mr. Langley." said I.



SECRETARY LANGLEY'S AERODROME. SKETCH FROM FROM A PHOTO OF THE MACHINE.

ascend in the air without flapping their wings. He was laughed at, but it is now conceded that what he claimed is not theoretically impossible. I, myself, did not believe he was right at the time, but it set me thinking. My old interest in the subject revived and I began at once to make experiments. I wanted to know the actual facts as I to the power needed for flight, and how it was possible that bodies heavier than the air they displaced could keep themselves in the air without falling. I did discover that there was no doubt but that a machine could be made which could support bodies in the air, and which would carry them forward. I have shown you here today a machine which will do this. I have proved that we have the power, and the only questive the state of the could support and the only questive the power, and the only questive the power and the only questive the power. scend in the air without flapping their

MAKING BRASS PLATES FLY. "Tell me something of your experi-ments, Mr. Langley," said I. "My first experiments were mad-when I was connected with the astro-



SECRETARY LANGLEY.

I built my first laboratory for aerial investigation there. A friend of mine, William Thaw, a wealthy citizen of Pittsburgh, supplied the means and I was enabled to make all sorts of tests to ascertain the power used in aerial motion. One device which I had was a whirling table. This was an arm about thirty feet long, which swung about on mottom. One device which I had was a whirling table. This was an arm about thirty feet long, which swung about on a central pivot, ten feet above the ground. It was moved by a ten-horse-power steam engine, and it went flying around, moving at all speeds up to seventy miles an hour. Now, on the end of the arm I put instruments which would measure the lifting power of the wind upon any inclined surface hung to them. I had, for instance, a spring scale hung there, and to this brass plates were attached. When the arm was put in motion I found that the faster it went the less weight the plates registered on the scales, until at great speed they amost floated in the air. I found, in fact, that the higher the speed the less was the force required to keep the plates from falling. This seems at first a contradiction of known principles, but I have no time now to explain it. I found that not one-twentieth of the force before supposed to be required to support bodies under such conditions was needed, and what before had seemed impossible began to look possible.

how such a machine as I might construct could be made to start and light in safety. There were a number of other things which I should have liked to know, and some of which I still hope to learn, which were entirely in the dark. As the result of my work I had some extremely important and valuable facts, but my experiments so far had not told me how to apply those facts to the making of machines for flying. I had only the conviction that what had hitherto been an impossible fancy might in the future become a mechanical fact. I could see, at any rate, from what I had learned, that the subject was worth a new and scientific investigation."

HIS EXPERIMENTS WITH RUBBER

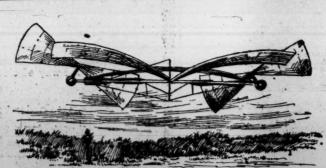
HIS EXPERIMENTS WITH RUBBER MOTORS.

"How did you go about the work of applying your facts" said I,

"I next began a very different kind of experiment," replied Mr. Langley.
"The average man might have looked upon my next work a somewhat childish. I spent many hours in experimenting upon little toys, which I tried to make actually fly. I had my facts, you know, and I wanted to see how they would work out in actual practice. The only thing that had yet been done in making toys or anything that would fly was by an ingenious Frenchman. named Penaud, who a decade or more ago had made a flying toy by twisting strands of rubber, which in untwisting turned a little propeller wheel made of a couple of feathers. The propellers moved the toy forward. They kept it in the air for a number of seconds, chabling it to fly from fifty to one hundred feet. Simple as this toy looked, it was the father of a future flying machine, and France ought to have the credit of it. I tried the same thing again and again on a larger scale, my object being to learn what the conditions were by which we could secure a horizontal flight in free air."
"What did you find?"
"I did not find out a great deal. The rubber models flew so irregularly and for so short a time that I could not learn much from them. I soon saw that I must have a better motive

learn much from them. I soon saw that I must have a hetter motive power. I must have something that would make a machine fly long enough for me to observe how it flew. In other words, in order to learn how to make a flying machine, I must have a flying machine to begin with.

HOW THE STEAM ENGINE WAS BUILT. "I examined and experimented on every kind of a motor," Mr. Langley went on. "Ltried compressed air, carbonic acid gas, the storage battery, the primary battery and many other things, including the gas engine. The last was the most promising, and it may some day prove to be the best, but like evreything else-I found it too heavy, for you see the engine had to be exceedingly light in proportion to the power. After much experiment of this kind I concluded that the only immediate hope was in-the steam engine, and that it could only be used provided it could be built to a degree of lightness which had hitherto never been attained. I had to have nearly one-horse power to give me a good chance for any practical experiment. Now, it is only a few years since an engine developing this amount of power weighed as much as a horse himself. In other words, it weighed something "I examined and experimented on ev-



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"This means that I found," continued Mr. Langley, "that an entirely wrong estimate had been made as to the force needed to sustain moving bodies in the air. Some mathematicians, reasoning from false data, had concluded that if it took a certain amount of power to keep a thing from falling, it would take much additional power to make it advance. My experiments showed just the reverse. I found that it took much less force to push a body rapidly through the air than was needed to simply sustain it there. I found, in short, that the conditions of air travel with my planes and of land and sea travel were in one important respect.

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"Yes," repiled Mr. Langley, "I have succeeded. I have proved both theoretically and practically, that machines can be made which will travel through the air. The question of the development of the fact is one of the future. My motive and interest in the work up to this time have been purely scientific ones, but if I had the time and money to spend upon the construction of a large machine. I believe I could make one on a scale such as would demonstrate to the world that a large passenger-carrying flying machine can be a commercial as well as a scientific success. There are many things yet to be learned concerning it, but I have no doubt that they will be discovered in the future. The moment that men see that such machines are not only practicable, but that they may be made commercially profitable, there will be a thousand inventors working upon the problem where there is one now. I believe, however, that the flying machine will first come into national use in the arts of war rather than those of peace. In an event of a great war by means of an aerial machine the armies of one nation will be able to know exactly what those of the enemy are doing, thus radically changing present

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A REMARKABLE exposition will be held in Madison Square Garden in New York, opening on January 27, an exposition of gas. Although similar exhibitions have been held on the other side of the water, notably in Berlin, for several years, this will be the first of its kind ever held in this country. It is designed to do for gas interests what the fine electrical exhibition in New York City last spring did for the electrical interests, to illustrate for the electrical interests, to illustrate the present progress and the wonder-ful variey of uses to which gas is now

In this country, at least, we are only beginning to realize the possibilities of gas as an industrial agent. Appar-ently, too, not only in this country, but everywhere its possibilities as an illuminant are just beginning to be ap-preciated. What improved burners have done to enhance the value of gas for lighting purposes, hundreds of other

have done to enhance the value of gas for lighting purposes, hundreds of other inventions and improvements are doing to extend its usefulness in almost every branch of manufacture.

The Madison Square exposition, aside from showing everything that is new in the way of improvements for the manufacture of gas and means of burning it, will also have on view a great variety of gas engines and appliances for its use; in drying paper moids after type impressions in printing offices; melting zinc and other metals, and making gaskets in electrical work; drying and pressing felt hats; ironing leather in glove factories; brazing in bicycle factories heating tar in breweries; heating laundry irons and finishing rolls; japanning and soldering; shrinking tires on locomotives and other wheels; heating rolls for finishing silk and plush, for enameling, hair drying, ripening bananas, in photographic work, in incubators, and no end of similar things.

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Considered merely as a spectacle and a show, the exposition will be brilliant in the extreme. Its piece de resistance, as its managing director would say, will be a wonderful tower of gas and glass and iron, which will stand in the center of the hall, designed and built by Louis Tiffany of New York, the creator of the celebrated Tiffany Chapgi, shown at the World's Fair. As, a show piece the tower will far surpass the chapel in brilliancy, as in size. It will be sixty feet in height, with a diameter of twenty feet at its base. The design of the tower is after the equisitely beautiful cathedral altars, so many and such superb specimens of which were built in the days when church art constituted the highest expression of artistic genius. Super-imposed, one upon the other, its graceful and multi-colored columns will rise to a pinnacle capped by a ball of fire. Over three thousand open jets will glow and glisten from its countless prisms, and placed here and there, row after row of incandescent lamps will add to the brilliancy of the effect. The tower will be made of pieces of glass of every conceivable color, blending and shading, from base to pinnacle, in all the hues of the rainbow. Just short of the apex a fountain of water will be playing, to be caught in a basin and disappear to re-issue again several sections below. The effect of the hundreds of gas jets struggling through the sheet of falling water may be more easily imagined than described. To still further accentuate the color effect, columns of steam will be driven up through the tower, cooling and condensing as they rise and forming thousands of water prisms on their sides.

The cost of the tower will probably exceed \$25,000, and it is designed not merely for exhibition at this time, but as the contribution of the American gas interests to the Paris World's Fair of 1900. It will in itself constitute a nowerful attraction and, coming as it does from almost the single artistic genius who, in the world of contemporary art, has made a distinct name and plac

many a prediction that at a not distant day gas would cease to be made. It is a rather remarkable commentary that in just this period gas making and using has undergone almost as great a revolution as electricity itself.

At the present time something like 75 per cent. of all the gas made in this country is water gas. In 1880 the new process had hardly made greater progress than acetyline has now. Furthermore, the consumption of gas has steadily increased, and in his late address before the St. Louis convention President Humphreys of the Gas Light Association estimated this increase at something like 30 per cent. In the last five years.

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But even now we are far behind, population considered, the countries of Europe. London alone, with a population of 5,000,000, consumes more than half as much gas as the whole United States. Comparing English towns with those in this country, the average consumption in Geat Britain is three and four times as much per capita as over here. It is true that generally the rate per thousand is less than with us, but the difference in price is not so great as to account for the difference in consumption.

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But it is in the use of gas for power purposes that the most striking contrast between Europe and America is seen. Over here the gas engine is almost a stranger. It is looked upon with suspicion and sometimes with contempt. There are more gas engines in London alone than in all this country. The total number in use in Great Britain is above 35,000. In Germany, which shows within recent years perhaps the greatest mechanical and industrial advance, and now ranks as probably the first industrial nation in the world, there are 85,000 gas engines in use.

the world, there are \$5,000 gas engines in use.

It is difficult to understand just why this country should have been so indifferent to the new motive power since in Germany, at least, the price of gas, varying from \$5 cents to \$1.30 per thousand feet, is not much lower than over here. It is rather significant that the chief reason set down is America's exextravagance. It is also to be said that the first gas engine introduced into the country was not a success, and further that the Otto patents and others that have now largely expired, likewise held back the industry.

Now, however, there are something like half a hundred gas-engine makers in the United States, and their product is being rapidly introduced. The engines are made all the way from one-third to a hundred horse power, and special types have been made and are now running in England of as high as 600 horse power. They have been so rapidly perfected that where an average of 23 cubic feet per horse power per hour was required in 1882, this has now fallen to an average of 13½ feet. Meanwhile gas has generally fallen in price; in some of the smaller cities, at least, from 25 to 35 per cent.

Compared with steam engines it is

estimated that not more than 30 per cent. of the heat energy put into a steam engine can be converted into work, where the gas engine may attain an efficiency of as high as 80 per cent. Roughly stated, the best type of steam gas engines attain nearly 30 per efficiency. An elaborate series of recently published in Germany

gas engines attain nearly 30 per cent. efficiency. An elaborate series of tables recently published in Germany snow that the efficiency of gas was in many cases double and sometimes triple that of steam.

The points of advantage claimed for the gas engine as compared with steam are: First, no fire, no smoke, no ashes, no engineer; second, a gas engine can be installed in a dwelling, in a barn, in a store, in a basement or on a topmost floot; third, bollers and their endless repairs, annoying cleanings and high insurance are unknown. But beyond all this—no danger from explosions. The record of steam boiler explosions is a long one, and the killed and injured from this source are said to outnumber those killed and injured on our railroads each year; fourth, no walting to get up steam, no waste of coal when noon hour arrives, or no power is needed; no fires to bank at night, no insurance, no water tax; fifth, economy of operation. Roughly stated, a gas engine will cost to run on the average 1 to 1½ cents per horse power per hour, at which price gas is generally supplied to large consumers in this country.

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No doubt to most engineers this is a rosy picture, but it seems justified by the experience of England and Germany. Within ten years practically all of the difficulties which seemed inall of the difficulties which seemed insurmountable then have been met. The consumption of heat from the water jacket is now about 35 per cent. as against 50 or 60 per cent, then. Some small engines even dispense with it altogether. "Missed ignitions," too, are now practically a thing of the past, and the old slide valve has entirely disappeared. Finally, the problem of starting has been disposed of with admirable inventive skill. Almost all engines of over twenty-five horse power are now equipped with self-starters, and many of these are simple and effective.

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With this advance special types have begun to appear—those adapted for electric lighting, the portable and the marine. The gas traction engine and gas street car are already here. In Germany there are several surface roads propelled by independent compressed gas motors, exactly like the compressed air cars now being introduced into this country. Just lately a successful gas traction line has been opened in the suburbs of London, They are economical and efficient.

Hardly second to its possibilities as a power producer is the future of gas power transmission. Every one acquainted with machinery understands that belting and shafts and pulleys use up an immense amount of power in transmitting it. Latterly compressed air, as well as electricity, has come rapidly into use in large manufactories, to supplant these. But it seems probable that gas will be cheaper and more facile than either of the new agents. Our western natural gas systems are admirable illustrations of long-distance transmissions—distances such as electricity has not yet been able to compass. There seems little doubt that this use of gas will have a large extension in the future.

Even now it is a remarkable fact that in many cities it is cheaper to buy gas from the mains and employ this either to run dynamos, or for house use, small thermo-electric batteries, to generate electricity, than to buy the latter from the large central generating stations. Many actual instances of the use of gas are to be seen in New York City and other points.

Yet another remarkable modification in gas usage, which has had but little development in this country as yet, is the penny-in-the-slot system. This has had a larger vogue in London, perhaps, than in any other point, where it is estimated that one company has as many as 50,000 of these meters in use. Various attempts have been made to introduce them into this

cook a meal, are more honest than the poorer classes of this country. At any event the system has been an unqualified success on the other side of the water, and has not been here.

This is not the place to detail the remarkably ingenius improvements that have been made in the mode of manufacturing gas, by which, in many points of England and on the continent the price of delivered gas has fallen to 70 and 60 and even as low as 40 or 50 cents per 1000 feet. The possibilities of fuel gas under new methods of generation are hardly less than those which the new incandescent system (the Welsback and other burners) have provided for its illuminating brother. Several companies are now seeking a franchise in New York City, on of them offering to furnish fuel gas at 50 cents per thousand feet to householders and at 35 cents to large manufacturers, while paying \$100,000 for the franchise, and after five years 3½ per cent on the net business to go to the city.

Gas-driven barges are no novelty in France, nor gas cranes, and a gas-engine yacht has been built in this country. Many lesser appliances, many of them of exceeding ingenuity, will be seen at the exposition, and will fill in the details of the very interesting chapter of mechanical progress which the latter will tell. The exposition was conceived and it will be directed by E. O. Brown of the Progressive Age, the chief journal of American gas interests. Prof. Charles F. Chandler, the well-known chemist of Columbia College, is president of the undertaking, and associated with him are some thirty of the leading gas makers of the country.

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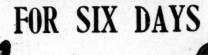
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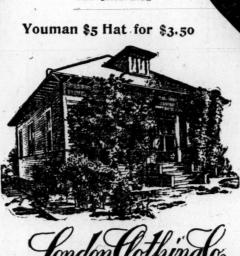




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A NEW TARIFF BILL.

Washington advices indicate that

manently abandoned, and that the

Ways and Means Committee of the

House, all of whom have been elected

to the next Congress, will at once be-

gin the preparation of a new tariff to

is proposed to carry forward the work

of revision as rapidly as possible, in

order that the new tariff bill may be

ready to report to the extra session

of Congress at an early date-prob

ably in March. It is assumed that

an extra session is to be called, which

The new tariff, it is stated with

some appearance of authoritativeness

will dispense almost wholly with ac

valorem duties, substituting specific

duties therefor. Some of the sched-

ules of the McKinley law are to be

restored. Among these will doubtles

be included the duties on wool and

also to be provided for, similar to that

which obtained under the McKinley

That the proposed measure will pass

the House without serious opposition

is a foregone conclusion. Its fate in

the Senate is wholly a matter of con-

jecture. The so-called "silver Sena-

tors," if they choose to continue their

dog-in-the-manger policy, can un-

doubtedly prevent the passage of any

tariff or other measure, as they will

probably hold the balance of power in

Will the silverites have the presump

tion to place themselves squarely upon

record in opposition to the expresse

they, by factious and dilatory opposi-

tion, prevent the enactment of meas-

ures which are necessary to the pros-

perity of the nation, and for which

the people declared by an overwhelm-

ing majority on November 3? These

questions can be answered only by the

course of events in the near future.

It will be well for the Republicans of

the House to discharge their duty to

ness. If the factionists of the Senate

elect to delay the prosperous times

for which the nation is languishing,

let the consequences be upon them-

Roswell P. Flower, at one time Gov-

ernor of New York, writes to say that

he congratulates himself on having

Palmer. All this is a very labored

effort in behalf of a man whose chief

distinguishing trait is his personal

vanity. The record shows that in 1860

Abraham Lincoln received 1 865 913

591,900 for John Bell. If Mr. Flower

had voted for either Bell or Breckin-

done something to aid the cause of

Lincoln, but as he voted for Douglas,

who was Lincoln's most formadable

THE TIMES advocated the nomination

The old steamship Salier of the

North German Lloyd Company, lost

in the Bay of Biscay on Thursday, was

built twenty-two years ago and used

to run from Bremen to Sydney and

Melbourne, until 1893. That line now

has the Barbarossa, the largest pas-

senger steamer in the world, and will

put her into the Atlantic trade in

The reported death of Antonio Mao is partly confirmed. It appears

that Maceo's death was accomplished

by means of treachery and assassina

tion. Later advices may either con

self-laudation.

April.

votes as against 1,374,664 cast for

will of the American people?

assumption is probably correct.

supersede the Gorman-Wilson law. It

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THE HARBOR CONTROVERSY.

In this morning's issue of THE Trues is presented a comprehensive the Dingley Tariff Bill has been perresumé of the Southern California harbor question, embracing the large, essential facts bearing upon that issue. It has been the aim of THE TIMES, in the preparation of this article, to present an impartial statement of both sides of the controversy, so far as is consistent with the truth. If the case as presented shows a preponderance of evidence for San Pedro, it is because the evidence on the other side is deficient.

As a matter of fact, there is n "harbor question." Repeated investigations and reports by government experts have shown conclusively that San Pedro is the proper and feasible site for a deep-sea harbor on this coast. But the machinations of a wealthy corporation have sufficed to surround the subject with an appear ance of doubt, and a government commission is to investigate, once more, the relative merits of a harbor designed by the Almighty, and a harbon designed by C. P. Huntington.

In order that all material facts bear ing upon this matter may be fully understood by the public, THE TIMES deems it advisable to review the subject in detail at this time. It is proper to state, however, that the review presented in today's issue is not designed to influence in any way the decision of the government commission charged with the determination of this important question. Its purpose is, rather, to refresh the memories of our people, whose interest in the final outcome is naturally heightened by the advent of the Harbor Commission, upon whose decision so much depends.

The personnel of the Harbor Commission and the gravity of the interests involved, assure a thorough consideration of the subject in all its bearings. That the investigation will be impartial no less than thorough. need not be premised. Upon this assurance the friends of San Pedro can rest with full confidence in the outcome. A thorough and impartial investigation of the merits of the respective sites can have but one result, which will be to confirm and emphasize the verdict of each and every pre-

On behalf of the recople of Southern California, THE TIMES welcomes the Harbor Commissioners, and assures them that every legitimate agency will ment of the true facts of the harbor controversy. Implicit confidence is reposed in their impartiality. Their decision will be final, and will end the dispute. THE TIMES implicitly believes that this decision will be in favor of Douglas, 847,404 for Breckinridge and San Pedro.

One has to "go away from home to ridge, he might have claimed to have hear the news," after all. The London Queen, of a recent date, gives publicity to this remarkable statement: "Mrs. McKinley was called to the American adversary, he cannot be said to have bar in the early part of 1893, and she helped make the election of Lincoln enjoyed for a long while the unique a possibility. Mr. Flower would have distinction of being the only lady of done well to look up the official rethe profession who pleaded on behalf turns in the Tribune or World almanac of clients before her own husband, who before starting out on his campaign of was the judge of the circuit in which she practiced." It is the first time that anybody ever heard that Mrs. McKinley ever practiced law or that of McKinley because it believed him to the hot coffee boy of Antietam had ever be the strongest man in the nation served his country on the bench. It and capable of polling the largest vote. reminds us of a statement made at the | That it was not mistaken in its estitime (1849 if we are not mistaken) mate of McKinley's hold on the poputhat Dr. John W. Webster, was con- lar affection, may be seen in the official victed of the murder of Dr. George returns from Indiana, which Harrison Parkman at Boston, and sentenced to carried in 1888 by a bare plurality of be hanged. There were no telegraphs 2348. He fell short of having a main those days, and the steamers only jority, by 10,227 votes. This year Mcmade weekly trips. But in spite of Kinley has a clear majority over all the fact that all the American news others of 9610 votes, showing him to was reprint matter, an English paper be nearly 20,000 stronger man than declared that "Daniel Webster, the Harrison in Harrison's own State. It distinguished American statesman and is seldom that Indiana gives an outauthor of Webster's Unabridged Dic- and-out majority. tionary, is under sentence of death at Boston for the murder of Rev. Theodore Parker.

The cheerful idiot with the rifle, who es out into the woods and shoots his friend on suspicion of being a deer, has broken out some more-in oma county, this time. This sort of work will go on until we shall be compelled to enact the English law

It is said that the Spanish authorities at Havana do not like Gen. Fitzhugh Lee. It is about time to remind those bloviating and brutal characters firm or deny these reports. But, that Uncle Sam is not in the habit of whether Maceo be dead or alive, the ting Spain as to the selection of war for Cuban independence will go

A DISGRACE TO NEW YORK.

In New York City women are prohibited from eating in restaurants after dark unless they are accompanied by male escorts. In defense of this unjust and worse than barbarous regulation, the New York Tribune says:

"The respectability of women who visit respectable restaurants alone after dark is not in question. Whatever lack of respectability may appear as the result of such a practice is due to men. The bad men are in-clined to congregate where the good women are. If a woman is young and attractive, and, from chance or neces sity, exposes herself to the attentions of men, she is pretty certain to be subject to notice that is displeasing if not absolutely insulting. If she is alone in the restaurant she necessarily goes out alone. In the restaurant she would be protected; in the street she is not. It is not pleasant to admit that the morals and manners of men at least one hundred blackguards. It is from this one hundred that women need to be protected. Women unat need to be protected. Women unat tended would be as welcome in res taurants as men, if all men were gen tlemen. It is an inconvenience for sin-gle women who are confident of their ability to take care of themselves under all circumstances to be denied ac-commodation extended to men, but it is not easy to see how the enforce ment of such regulations is to be avoided. In this respect, civilization begins on the western coast of Amer ica and travels East. There is no city enjoy so much freedom as in San Francisco. They visit restaurants alone or in groups, without danger o molestation. In eastern cities their privileges are curtailed, and in Europe they may be said to have none. In time we trust the California standard will prevail in New York, but the rule under consideration indicates that the Empire city is as yet but partially

What the New York Tribune says of San Francisco might with truth be said of any of the larger cities of the West. Women can with safety visit any respectable place of public resort, either before or after dark, without male escorts. If such a regulation as the one referred to is necessary in New York, the fact that it is neceslumber. A scheme of reciprocity is

But does the assumed necessity for such a regulation really exist in New York City? Is not the Tribune's contention that it is a measure for the protection of women based upon a wrong assumption? Is it not a rather unusual way of "protecting" women to deny them a privilege to which they are as clearly and indisputably entitled as are men? If, as the Tribune declares, 100 men out of every 1000 in New York are blackguards, is is not about time that some vigorous steps were taken to punish those of ism by insulting unprotected women What justice, common sense, or de cency is there in punishing respectable women by restricting their personal freedom, because one man out of evevery ten is a blackguard? If so large a proportion of blackguards existed in any western community, the nine hundred gentlemen out of each thousand would very soon make the blackguardism of the 100 so odious that it would be glad to keep well out of sight. the people with fidelity and prompt-No civilized community should per

mit the existence in its midst of conditions so disgraceful as those above described. If they exist in New York it is because the authorities are lax in enforcing the laws, and perhaps, in part, because the laws are in adequate for the protection of wo men. Some wholesome example should be made of the blackguards helped to elect Lincoln in 1860 by votwhose conduct has led to the unjust ing for Douglas, just as he helped to and unwarrantable restriction of the elect McKinley in 1896 by voting for rights of women. The particular variety of ruffianism referred to can be virtually stamped out if the authorities will take hold of the matter with vigorous hand. To visit the punishment upon women is in the last degree

> Judge Baker, of the United States District Court in and for the State of Indiana, sounds the keynote when he says the trusts are an unnecessar evil and should not be allowed to exist. In deciding a point against the wire-nail trust, Judge Baker said: "The trust described is an unlawful combination and conspiracy to raise the price of goods and to interfer the manufacture of wire-nail with machinery, and is in direct violation \$150,000 today. of the act of Congress, of good morals and of the public weal." In these degenerate days when the malodorous smell of a trust attaches not only to a score of Congressmen but a Cabinet officer as well, it is pleasing to note the presence of a Federal judge whose ermine is not tarnished with the slime of corporation influences,

If the recent decision in regard to the Lytle Creek water rights is good law, then there should be no doubt as to the outcome of the contention between the city of Los Angeles and the water company in regard to the ownership of the Crystal Springs supply, which is drawn from the bed of the valley by "bleeding pipes." Lytle Creek decision deprives an entire district of water, and renders worthless a tunnel which cost \$120,-000, because it is claimed that the tunnel drains from the creek. The legal sauce for the San Bernardino goose should also be sauce for the Los Angeles gander.

It is said that there are over 20,000 ess and unsaleable horses running at large in the valleys of the Columbia and Snake rivers, and that they are consuming the pasturage needed for sheep and cattle that are readily marketable. Bring out the chopping the tenderioins into cans and the rest into sausages. Make neat's-foot oil out of the hoofs, cordovan leather of the live without air.

hides, and burn the bones to refine with. A cayuse pony worth \$10 much value as a \$30 ox; and that is about the only way the people of that section can hope to get rid of these little scrub horses.

Charles D. Lane, the chairman of the National Silver League, says he wants the silver question to be given a rest until the campaign of 1900. That's a very sound and well-con-The question was plainly stated in the last campaign, and was exploited for all it was worth. If it could be kept going from now till the election of 1900, it would make peo ple so tired that it would not get 50,000 votes in the whole United States. Lane's head is plumb.

Sacramento has an ordinance that prohibits spitting on the sidewalks. If acramento needs such a local law, what about Los Angeles, whose streets are crowded (especially during the winter months) with consumptives from every part of the United Staes? It would cost these invalids very slight effort to walk to the curbstone, and expectorate into the gutter. We need such a law three times as badly as does Sacramento.

The story that comes from Cuba, about Maceo's dead body being dragged about the battlefield behind a crazy horse, is something too horrible to contemplate without a shudder. even when perpetrated by a people elements enters to a very large extent. All war is more or less cruel, but this reported brutality almost exceeds lief. But is Maceo really dead?

An orchard in Santa Clara county, near a town called Campbell, has been sold for the goodly price of \$650 per acre. That's right. The man wanted an orchard in full bearing and was willing to pay well for it. How long would it have been before a piece of land devoted to the culture of cereals would have sold for any such money? The seller would have been in big uck to get one-third of that sum.

ole offshoot of the Pegleg mine. It showed gold rock with \$7.50 to the ton at a depth of ten feet, and at wenty feet, it showed \$18 in silver and \$16 in gold. They ought to keep going right on, right straight down. till they either strike rock worth \$500 to the ton-or land in China. Never grow weary in well-doing, gentlemen.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani is on her way to Washington, and Grover has arranged to start on a hunting and fishing tour shortly before the time she is scheduled to arrive in the national capital. Possibly this combination of circumstances is entirely fortuitous, but there is ground for the surmise that Grover's sudden flight is not altogether unpremeditated

Gear, of Iowa, has enrolled himself among the advocates of Huntington's funding bill in the House of Representatives and will try to bring it up as soon as possible. The opponents of the measure want to fight it off as long as possible and, if ever there was justifiable, this is the one.

The grand jury of Merced county recently got together and presented an excoriating report against the justices and constables of that county for arresting tramps and hobos in order to make fees out of the county. It was shown that, in a majority of cases, no offence had been committed by the arties so arrested.

The Los Angeles parsons must not rely upon the protection of their cloth to do things that would arouse the indignation of the community if they were committed by ordinary individuals. There is no privileged class of priesthood in this country, as misguided ministers of the gospel may soon discover.

Richard Croker, the Tammany chieftain who thought he could manipu late turf events as he did Democratic politics, has found out to the contrary. His total expenditures in that direction amount to over \$550,000 and he could not sell his horses for over

The fact that his mother-in-law is still in California, may account for Lord Sholto Douglas's telling a Tacoma reporter that he was never as happy in all his life, and that Tacoma was the prettiest place he had seen since his arrival on the Coast.

Although Rev. McLean was a police man for a matter of only about twentyfour hours, he has had sufficient experience, no doubt, to enable him to re alize that, "taking one consideration with another, a policeman's lot is not a happy one."

The New York World calls the Senatorial boom of Joseph H. Choate "a dream." If that be the case, then Mr. Platt's boom is a nightmare, and Mr. D. B. Hill's vision of another term can only be set down as a hallucina

John Hobson, of Astoria, Or., died recently at that place, aged 79 years, Mr. Hobson was a pioneer of pioneers, having crossed the plains in 1843, along with the late Senator Nesmith and Medorum Crawford.

If war vessels have to run agroun every time they get near shore, there will be a big reward offered for the naval constructor who will invent a cruiser that shall be amphibious.

BANDSBURG.

The Mining Camp an Orderly and Prosperous Community.

RANDSBURG, Dec. 10.—(Regular Correspondence.) This town is booming. No other word expresses so fully the situation. Although there are four humber words receiving, humber from

lumber yards receiving lumber from both Kramer on the Santa Fé, and Mojave on the Southern Pacific, yet building at the present time is being delayed on account of the scarcity of material. Some fairly good buildings are going up. All kinds of business are represented, there being seven general merchants, some carrying large and complete stocks; one picely-equipped hardware store, and four butcher shops, where good meats can be had at Los Angeles prices. The Randsburg Miner, the new paper, owned by Glover of South Pasadena, will get out its first issue on Saturday. The office is in a tent with board floor, as are most offices here.

In the matter of hotels the town is sadly deficient, and a good hotel with reasonable accommodations would pay well. There are many lodging tents, and all are well patronized. One hotel bought a tent containing eight cots this morning, paying \$125 for it, and it will be in place tonight behind the hotel to accommodate a few whom they nightly turn away.

The town is quiet and orderly, and will bear comparison with any of the new camps which have grown up as rapidly. The citizens have, in open mass-meeting, without any secrecy, organized a law and order committee, and will endeavor to enforce the State law prohibiting the carrying of concealed weapons and have appointed five prominent citizens as a committee of arbitration to endeavor to settle matters of personal or business conflicting interests. They also selected ten prominent citizens who have been sworn in as deputy constables to serve without pay, who will endeavor to preserve the good name of the camp. In addition, they have selected a man who will act as night watchman, to be paid by the citizens. All these things show conclusively that the camp will be controlled by the law-abiding element.

From a point on the hills northeast of the town 265 houses and tents can be counted. There are also a number camped out in the open every night. So that the estimate of from 1500 to 2000 people seems to be below rather than above the act

on those here whether intersect in mines or not.

Owing to scarcity of mills, mining work is retarded and of the few being worked each has a quantity of ore awaiting its turn at the mill. Of course ther are no mills here on account of lack of water. The nearest mills are at Cow Wells, where there is one tenstamp mill with a capacity of from twelve to sixteen tons to the twenty-four hours, and one two-stamp steam hammer mill with a capacity of three to five tons seconding to the quality to five tons, according to the quality of the ore. Two other ten-stamp mills are being put up at that place, and will be ready for business in a short

are being put up at that place, and will be ready for business in a short time. There is one mill at Mesquite Springs, two miles further on, and an eight-stamp mill in operation, with another five-stamp mill on the ground in process of erection at Koehn Springs, eight miles further, or twenty odd miles from Randsburg. These mills are all kept busy night and day on high-grade ore from here. Mr. Ragsdale of Madeira is here with a tenstamp mill, and will erect it at one or the other of the wells named.

It is rumored that three-fourths of the Rand group of mines have been bonded for \$150,000 to some eastern parties, who will proceed to work them on an extensive scale.

A great deal of freight and many people are now coming by the way of Kramer, it being only twenty-six miles and a very good road. A serious drawback to that route, however, is the want of water, there being none on the road. John Denair and Frank Francis of Los Angeles are now digging a well about half-way between Kramer and Randsburg, are down about seventy-five feet, and have good indications of the stations of the statio about seventy-five feet, and have good indications of striking water before reaching one hundred. There is now 200 tons of freight at Kramer awaiting shipment to the place.

ing shipment to this place.

There are only about 125 men working for wages in the mines, and wall as many more at carpentering and other work in and about the town. There is a tri-weekly mail service, coming in Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and going out Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. The postoffice, which is now located away up the the gulch at least a quarter of a mile way from the business portion of the amp, has by the efforts of some of the usiness men-been moved down into rew building and is now convenient

a rew building and is now convenient to all.

The camp now has telephone connection with Mojave, the line being complete a few days ago. One can now communicate with that place for 50 cents. It is run in connection with the Postal Telegraph Company. Wells-Fargo have not yet established an office here, but it is expected they will do so shortly. One sees a few hightop boots and velvet suits on the streets, indicating the presence of the mining expert of former days, but for the most part everybody eschews style and the absence of pointed shoes or white shirts is noticeable. Woolen shirts and sweaters are the correct thing, as the scarcity of water renders the dry washing process the most practicable.

All parts of California and the East are represented here, but Los Angeles seems to have by far the largest dele-gation. Pasadena is also well repre-

gation. Pasadena is sented, as is Pomona. SEANDSBURG BREVITIES. RANDSBURG BREVITIES. sented, as is Pomona.

RANDSBURG BREVITIES.

A number of prominent mining men are in the camp, among them Campbell of Pueblo, Colo., the smelter man, and Peers, Kinnefelter and Kinney also of Colorado. The latter is the man who made most of the big deals at Cripple Creek, realising an immense fortune therefrom.

Messrs. Fitch, J. M. Crowly and Steere of the Southern Pacific came in on the stage today, it is said to look over the ground with a view to establishing a fast freight line from the railroad. These men are all looking for investments, and all express surprise at the richness of the camp.

John Largomarsino and A. Gondalfo of Ventura are here and will go into business as soon as they can secure a location.

F. Endi of Los Angeles bought a lot this morning and will immediately proceed to put up a hotel building.

The Times is really without competition coming in before daylight, so that it is distributed by 7 o'clock, one day old, eight or ten hours ahead of the 'Frisco papers.

Rudyard Kipling is related by mar-riage to William McKinley, Mrs. Wil-liam Glidden, Mrs. Kipling's aunt, is Mal. McKinley's first cousin.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Consuelo, Duchess of Mariborough, is loved by all the tenants on her husband's estate.

A preacher in Oklahoma is delivering a series of lectures on the subject, "I'm on the Girl's Side."

Wilson Barrett values the newspaper rights of his book, "The Sign of the Cross," at about \$2500. Dr. Dover, the man for whom Dover's

Countess Hartenau, the morganat widow of the late Prince Alexander Battenberg, is about to marry an Au trian officer of high rank.

Queen Victoria now rules 367,000,000 people, a greater number than has ever before acknowledged the sovereignity of either a king, queen or emperor.

The "Golliwoggs Bicycle Club" is the promising title of a new illustrated gift book in preparation by the talented sisters, Bertha and Florence K. Upton.

Mrs. Gusta Manther of Greenback, Pa., who was 104 years old, fell out of a window recently and was fatally hurt. She saw Napoleon's army march to and from Russia in 1812.

Princess Pauline de Metternich, who used to set the fashions of Paris under the second empire, has received the grand medal and diploma of honor for fat cattle at the Buda Pest exhibition.

tion.

Lady Francis Pelham-Clinton Beresford Hope, once May Yohe, is said to be taking vigorous measures for improving the condition of the tenants on an estate in Ireland, of which she is now the owner.

Probably the last widow of any who participated in the battle of Trafalgar has just died, in England. She was Mrs. Suckling, widow of Admiral Suckling, who died thirty-one years ago, and was middy in the great right.

All literary women who figure in ago, and was middy in the great light.

All literary women who figure in English society are reported to dress with no regard for fashion, harmony, or taste. Ouida dressed absurdly, with futile striving after juvenility. Her hair she always wears in a curly crop, bound by bands or ribbon.

New York society was greatly dis-

bound by bands or ribbon.

New York society was greatly disturbed over the application of the obnoxious term "living pictures," to a charity entertainment. Miss Helen Gould was especially shocked. It was finally decided to call it tableaux vivants, and everybody was happy.

vants, and everybody was happy.

The Princess of Wales, it is said, finds a good deal of pleasure in the democratic pastime of milking cows. If those cows could only be made to understand that they are being milked by royalty they owuld undoubtedly yield nothing but cream.

Recently at Andes N. V. Miss Alloo. Recently at Andes, N. Y., Miss Alice York followed on her bicycle a tramp who had stolen a watch and pocket-book from her house. She chased him nearly a mile and compelled him at the

point of a revolver to give up the booty. The watch was valued at \$150, and the pocketboog contained \$50. pocketboog contained \$50.

The Ladies' International Club is the newest London woman's club. Its avowed purpose is to entertain friends from all parts of England and from foreign countries as well, particularly of the United States. New York club women have, therefore, a particular interest in this new organization. Its home is in Bond street.

Elizabeth Blackwell W. D. The Countries of the Cou

Elizabeth Blackwell, M. D., who at the age of 75, has just published a book of autobiographical notes entitled "Ploneer Work in Opening the Medical Profession to Women," was the first woman to receive a medical diploma from any medical college in this coun-try or Europe. Though she is a native of England, she is an American by adoption, having taken her degree and

pursued the greater part of her medical practice here.

The Empress Frederick unwittingly brought on herself the hostility of the Frussian army by a course she took, or that was taken in her name, when she was Crown Princess. The Crown Prince gave a great military dinner soon after his father came to the throne. Officers of all grades were invited. Some of those who were then subalterns are now hoary-headed generals and cannot speak of the circumstance without getting red in the face with anger. When they had all sat down to dinner, a gentleman of the court went round to say that her royal highness particularly desired officers not to eat with their knives. It is not usual in good English society to eat with the knife. but Germans and Poles do not see that it is enough to stamp a man as vulgar. pursued the greater part of her medi-cal practice here.

Geese for Profit.

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(Exchange:) Geese are not raised often, because of the prejudice against them; becoming annoyed with their noise, the owner gets rid of them before they know their true worth. No matter how old, they are desirable if they will keep fat on good pasture. An average one should weigh nine pounds. If well kept they will raise two broods a year.

Geese are more hardy and much less trouble than either chickens of turkeys, and the profits are much larger. During the summer all they need is a good pasture. They begin laying when but a year old, and from a dozen geese and three or four ganders one should receive 400 eggs in a season.

The only cause of mortality among young geese and ducks, if plenty of drinking water is supplied at all times, is cramps, resulting from dampness; it this be guarded against by keeping their quarters warm and dry, and keeping them out of the dewy grass and rain, one may reasonably expect to raise every duck hatched.

Early goslins are the best, but raising them is very difficult. They need no mother except for a few nights. To accustom them to their coop, which should be a good one; after that they will do well if properly attended to. If well kept they will mature in two years.

After the feathers of geese and ducks once mature they may be picked every six weeks from March to December, and since the feathers from a Peking duck command almost as good prices as those from a goose, these feathers will soon more than pay for the expense of its raising and keeping.

Milking by Electricity.

Milking by Electricity (Southern Cultivator:) In Hoard's Dairyman, of October 23, is a most interesting account of Prof. F. W. Woll of the Wisconsin experiment station, of a visit to Lilla Ursvik, Sweden, where he saw in operation a milking machine operated by electricity, invented by Dr. de Laval of separator fame.

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This machine is called a "lactator," and is said to be a success. It is not on the market as yet, although it undoubtedly will be in a short time. Prof. Woll describes it as extracting the milk by pressure of the teats and agitating the udder in something like the same manner as in hand milking. The milk comes from the teats in small jets at the rate of about a quart a minute. It is conveyed by means of rubber "teat protectors" into as mall aluminum bowl whence it is drawn by suction into the milk cans hanging over the front of the cows. The animals seem to like the new departure and show no signs of injury in any manner from being thus milked.

They Never Thought of It.

(St. Louis Globe-Democrat:) Mr.

Hobart reports that 800 bables have
been named for him. This is one of
the uses of the Vice-Presidency that
probably never occurred to the framers of the Constitution.

CALIFORNIA.

breeze, With the radiance streaming from

There's El Monte, umbrageous with oaks renown,
Where the weary world-roamer in peace sits
him down;
There's Yosemite's solitude, cliff-girt and

There's Yosemite's solitude, oils girt and grand, it was passed in the unspeakable wonder of all the broad land; And the groves of the giants, whose lofty heads rise, As they have through the ages, to kiss the soft skies.

There's the sweet Vale of Ojai, scarce to the world,
Where the deep sylvan monarchs have banners unfurled,
Where the trout stream is babbling its way to
the sea,
Where the cares of this life for a time cease
to be:

to be;
And we bless the good fortune that leads us to stray
O'er the rough San Rafael to this dreamland of May.

Santa Barbara gleams in our memory bright From the Mountain of Love we have looked into night. Catalina lies fair in a calm summer sea;

Pasadena and Riverside smile radiantly; While the Queen of the Angels, fair city and great, bedecked with her jewels, proud queen of the State.

But the sunniest spot in this sunniest land, Where the peaceful blue sea taps the spark-ling white sand; Where the sapphire-like bay as a jewel is set, In its sand-rims of gold and its rock-rims of

jet; Where the lemon is king, and the rose-cluster

queen; Where the summer is born—San Diego is seen. Wavy palm trees are graceful, the orange is sweet; In the hedgerows the calla adorns every

street;
Tall and drooping bananas rise high from the beds the beds
Where are masses of yellows, and purples,
and reds;
Balmy breezes are fragrant, and life's dear
to me,
In my fond San Diego, beside the calm sea.
FRED W. PEARSON.

Gallandet.

Gallaudet.

A small party of deaf-mutes paid honor to the memory and birthday of Rev. Thomas H. Gallaudet at the residence of Layreader Widd last Thursday night. The deaf in the East commemorate the anniversary of Gallaudet first founded a school for the deaf at Hartford, Ct., in America, in 1817. Now many institutions have sprung up. Every State supports them.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY. Daily Resume of Events for Your

On December 13 of the years mentioned occurred the following interesting events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS. HOLIDAYS.
Saints Lucy, Jodoc, Aubert, Othilia, Kenlm, Blessed John Marinonie.

1521—Pope Sixtus V.
1553—Henri IV. of France.
1560—Maximilian de Bathune, Duke of Sully.
1585—William Drummond, poet.
1585—Rev. Arthur P. Stanley, biographer of Dr. Arnold.

DEATHS. DEATHS.

1250—Emperor Frederick II, of Germany.
1821—Emanuel the Great, King of Pörtugal.
1842—James V, of Soctland.
1739—Anthony Collins, tree-thinking writer.
1737—Rev. John Strype, historical writer.
1734—Dr. Samuel Johnson, lexicographer.
1788—Charles III, of Spain.
1873—Associate Justice Samuel Nelson of New

1784—Rev. Samuel Jonath.
1784—Dr. Samuel Josan.
1783—Charles III, of Spain.
1873—Associate Justice Samuel Nelson et Neu1873—Associate Justice Samuel Nelson et Neu1874—Sir J. B. Burke, editor of "Burke's
British Peerage."
1893—Rt. Rev. T. B. Lyman, P. E. Bishop
of North Carolina.
OTHER EVENTS.
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1474-Union of the crowns of Castile and Aragon, Spain.

1545-The Council of Trent formally opened.
1776-Congress ordered the construction of thirteen additional vessels of war.

1810-Bremen, Hamburg and Lubeck united to the French Empire.

1813-Wellington repulsed French at Bayonne, Prance.

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1848-Louis Napoleon elected Emperor.
1850-Act to form the Territory of New Mex1860-Act to form the Territory of New Mex1862-Gen. Lee defeated Burnside at Fredericksburg, va. expedition left Fort1864-Admiral Porter's wellington.
1870-Germans occupied Blois, France.
1871-Caucus of Republican memoris of the
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1883—Election of Gen. Anson G. McCook, Secretary of the U. S. Senate.

1884—Explosion of dynamite at London Bridge, London.

1888—Fire at Savannah, Ga.; \$20,000 worth of property destroyed.

1889—Cave-in at Iron Mountain mine, Ishpening, Mich.; three miners buried.

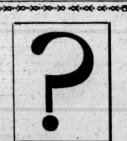
1890—Dorrance building burned in Providence, R. I.; \$500,000 loss.

1891—Baron Hirsch purchased 3001 square leagues of land in Northern Argentine Republic for Jewish refuges colonists.

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1892—Prof. Henry P. Smith of Lane Theological Seminary, convicted on two charges of heresy.

1894—President Crespo of Venezuela released political prisoners and invited exiles 1895—Chinese officials resumed possession of Port Arthur.



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of granting licenses to keep a gun.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 12.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.15; at 5 p.m., 30.15. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 53 deg. and 59 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 72 per cent.; 5 p.m., 75 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 65 deg.; minimum temperature, 48 deg. Character of weather, cloudy.

Barometer reduced to sea level.

The Gimes

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

The fruit-growers of Redlands are conditions of the market, and are sub-Much fruit that would perish if shipped or would be wasted otherwise, might be profitably worked up in a cannery.

Those limbs of the law who wear blue clothes and brass buttons and are irreverently spoken of as "cops," have undoubtedly felt grieved that during the past week a minister of the gospel has aspired to claim kinship with them as a preserver of the city's peace. Po-

Engineer Capp's official report on the foreno dam at San Diego is making a lot of trouble, and now it is asserted that the contractors built a concrete wall 110 feet high in eighteen days. It requires no engineering experience to teach any person of common sense that such work as that is a sham.

sugar factory, has only one store, but that one is a daisy. It is a combina-tion of barber shop, billiard hall, tobacco stand, stationery, branch bakery, men's furnishing store, news depot and laundry office. John Wanamaker's Philadelphia shop may be a little big ger, but it can't be much more varie-

At the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow there will be an interesting meeting of all the newly-elected members of the State Legislature from the seven southern counties, numbering nineteen Brief, pithy addresses will be delivered by the members-elect and others on a number of subjects of interest to this before the next Legislature.

An able-bodied rumor declares that the Whittier bosslet, whose pretensions to political power were so thoroughly exposed at the Republican County Con-vention in September last, proposes to make a desperate but not necessarily noisy attempt to get his hands upon enough members of the conference of legislators-to-be, at the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow to warrant the boast that he is not really a political corpse, but actually is alive and has a friend or two in the land of the living.

ELIZABETH LAKE MYSTERY. Was Harry Rundle Drowned or Was

He Shot? The following telegram was received by Coroner Campbell yesterday evening from Lancaster:
"Harry Rundle drowned Elizabeth

Lake; been unable to recover body; personal property, 529 Bernard street; have gone on to Randsburg. "HENRY BERGER."

This message, with what other news the Coroner was able to gather, per-suaded him to leave last night for Elizabeth Lake.

A man who gave his name as Hans

A man who gave his name as Hans Hansen, and who is reported to work for the Los Angeles Brick and Tile Company, told the following story concerning the matter.

He says that he arrived at the scene of the young man's death about fifteen minutes after it occurred, and he found Henry Berger and another man preparing hooks with which to drag the lake for Rundle's body. This was their story as told by them to him.

Berger and his companion, whose name is unknown, were out in a rowboat on the lake and rowed to the shore to take in Harry Rundle, whom they invited to accompany them. He got into the heat and after rowing

boat on the lake and rowed to the shore to take in Harry Rundle, whom they invited to accompany them. He got into the boat, and after rowing about for a time the unknown man got out of the boat on the opposite side of the lake from which they had started. Upon their return to the original starting place Berger also left the boat, leaving Rundle the sole occupant. He mentioned the fact that there were ducks on the lake and signified his intention of indulging in a little sport shooting them.

Rundle started out with a shotgun, a six-shooter and a belt of cartridges. Reaching a point near the birds he fired among them, they of course rising as he fired.

Berger says that Rundle then jumped to his feet so suddenly that he capsized the boat. Berger says that the drowning man came up twice, the last time striking out wildly and evidently trying to move himself farther away from the shore, which was only thirty feet distant. He then disappeared. As they were unable to find the body, they began to drag the lake, but they report, as has already been stated, that the search was unsuccessful.

George Geigerich, who resides at No. 235 South Water street, is a brother-inlaw of the deceased, and says that Rundle has relatives and property in Chicago, Ill.

From various reports, none of which are of a strictly authentic nature, however, the Coroner rather expects to find that the man was wounded as well as drowned. If such were the case, of course the weapon which did the mischief might have been his own or he might have been his own or he might have been his own or he lake to unravel the mystery.

WHERE IS RILEY?

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A Bartender Disappears Under Pe-culiar Circumstances.

John Riley, a bartender for Hugh J. Smith, who has a saloon at First and Los Angeles streets, is missing, and, it is said, he took with him quite

and, it is said, he took with him quite a sum of his employer's money. Riley worked up to 7 o'clock Friday night. Yesterday morning he failed to report for work, but at first Smith thought he had gone on a spree, as he is a hard drinker. A little later the saloon-keeper discovered that \$140 of his money had, it is said, disappeared. Then Smith became angry, and, going to the Police Court, he laid them matter before Deputy District Attorney James, who issued a complaint against Riley.

then Mrs. Riley heard of it, she to the saloon-keeper and told him she had had a slight quarrel the husband the previous night, and ad left home somewhat in anger, was of the belief that her husband gone on another drunk and would turn up all right. She offered to e sood the amount of his de-

MAILROAD RECORD.

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Frisco Line Will Not Absorb the Atlantle and Facific.

An Associated Press dispatch says D. B. Robinson of St. Louis, president of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railway, is in San Francisco. His party includes B. B. Veech, a wealthy stock farmer of Louisville, Ky., and John Dupee, a prominent Chicago stock broker, besides James Robinson and Walter H. Dupee. The visitors came West on a pleasure trip. Mr. Robinson savs he was in Arizona looking over the Santa Fé, Prescott and Phoenix road, a line which he built, and of which he was the first president. After that he determined to come to San Francisco on pleasure. President Robinson said there was small prospect of the Atlantic and Pacific falling into the hands of his company, and as for the construction of any new roads, he said it would never be done as long as capital was as timid as it is now.

APPOINTED GENERAL TRAFFIC APPOINTED GENERAL TRAFFIC MANAGER.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 12.—Francis B. Clark has been appointed general traffic man-ager of the Great Northern Railway, which position was discontinued some time ago, but has now been revived. Clark has been connected with the Great Northern and other western roads for thirty years.

CAUSE OF HIS DEATH.

Leu Wai Died from Heart Trouble,
Resulting from Starvation.

Leu Wai, a Chinaman 51 years of age, was found dead in his bed early yesterday morning, and a Coroner's jury last night decided that his death was due to heart failure, caused by was due to heart failure, caused by starvation. Wal had lived in this city about twenty years, and was an oplum fiend. At one time he was a teacher of gymnastics, but of late had done nothing apparently but smoke oplum. He lived in a little shack on Benjamin street, just off of Apablassa street. About six weeks ago he was taken sick with heart trouble, superinduced by excessive oplum-smoking. Wal was unable to leave his bed, and his countrymen ministered to his wants countrymen ministered to his wants but slightly. Unpalatable food was placed before the sick man, and he could not set it.

placed before the sick man, and he could not eat it.

Yesterday morning some Chinamen went to his desolate home and found him dead.

The Coroner was notified and the body was removed to Orr & Hines's undertaking parlors, where, an autopsy was performed and an inquest was held last night. The jury brought in a verdict finding that Wal had died from heart trouble, caused by starvation.

A Compliment from Abroad.

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(Sacramento Record-Union:) The Cleveland Leader, after reviewing the whole situation regarding the late election, comes to this conclusion:

All things considered, the most remarkable victory achieved by the sound-money forces of any State was the carrying of California for McKinley. It is not yet too late to give the gallant Republicans of that State and the honest-money Democrats who worked with them the credit which they deserve for a most extraordinary triumph in the face of great difficulties. Complete returns from California, all but a few countles being reported officially, makes McKinley's plurality 2320. The margin is small, but it equivalent to about 7500 in Ohlo, and that is just about the plurality by which President Hayes carried his own State in 1876. In 1892 the Republican plurality in Ohlo was barely 1000. Considering the difficulties encountered and overcome by the sound-mouney men of California, their plurality beats any of the tremendous majorities rolled up for McKinley in the East.

The Leader then at much length goes into an analysis of the situation and the vote of this State, with all that was arrayed against the Republicans, and the apparent hopelessness of their cause at the beginning of the cam-

arrayed against the Republicans, and the apparent hopelessness of their cause at the beginning of the campaign, and again concludes that the victory in California was a magnificent and astonishing one. It declares that the terrible statistical handicap of the Republican party in our State has not been equaled, and it sets this out by giving the figures of the last gubernatorial election, the great majority by which the Democrats filled the gubernatorial chair, and the fact that in that election the Democrats and Populists polled together more votes in every district than did the Republicans. It sums up by expressing the opinion that the triumph in California was simply "wonderful," and adds:

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"It is almost without a parallel in American political history, and we believe that it may safely be called the prize victory of the year for sound money, protection and William McKinley."

Progress. (San Francisco Bulletin:) It is now admitted that Senator Perkins has little or no opposition in his campaign to succeed himself in the Senate. What is of even more importance in the senate. tie or no opposition in his campaign to succeed himself in the Senate. What is of even more importance is that he has reachad this position without the employment of methods that in the past have sometimes brought reproach upon Senatorial aspirants. Early in the recent campaign he openly announced a desire to succeed himself and appealed to the voters to decide if his ambition should be realized. The people of this State, who have seen the time come to elect Senators with dread, not so much as to the result as to the disclosures the result might entail, regard the candidacy of Mr. Perkins as having brought to a close the period in which the use of money was considered indispensable to success. It required some courage on Mr. Perkins's part to take the stand he did, and some confidence in the integrity of the people. If he had not believed that a clean campaign might be also a successful campaign he would have announced an intention to retire from politics. Callfornia now has two representatives in the Senate who hold their title clear.

Bishop Bonacum's Contempt. Bishop Bonacum's Contempt.

MARSHALL (Mich.) Dec. 12.—Bishop Bonacum has filed notice of appeal from the decision rendered against him in the Metropolitan Curia at Dubuque by Rev. Father Baart, judge delegate. Father Baart said today that since Bishop Bonacum attacked him in an official position as judge delegate, he preferred to leave to the apostolic delegate the execution of the sentence in the case of Revs. Murphy and Fitzgerald, as well as the matter of the attack made upon him by the bishop, which constituted a serious contempt of court.

The Elyton Company in Distress.

BIRMINGHAM (Als.,) Dec. 12.—A bill has been filed asking for a receiver for the Elyton Company, the largest concern in Alabama. It controlled over \$2,000,000 worth of property around Birmingham, and has \$1,700,000 in bonds outstanding with a trust company.

A False Alarm.

Some mischlevous boys turned in a false alarm of fire from box No. 24, located at the corner of Buena Vista and College streets, at 9:30 o'clock last night. When the department arrived the boys had disappeared, and no clew to their identity could be obtained.

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LADIES' DAY

PAINT STORE.

"Ladies' Day" at Mathews's Paint Store-the first of the kind ever held. Between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. we will present to every lady holding a coupon, one large 25c bottle of "Osobright." "Osobright" is the perfection of preparations for cleansing and polishing painted woodwork, planos, furniture, hardwood floors, brass, copper, bicycles, gold, silver, marble and tan leather. No coupons will be honored except when presented by a lady. There's plenty for all comers.

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P. H. MATHEWS 238-240 S. Main St.

Middle of Block.

Fred W. Jobb to Marry.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—A marriage license has been issued to Fred W. Jobb and Miss Helen Crafts. They will be married Wednesday, January 6, at the First Presbyterian Church at Austin. Jobb is Hawaiian Consul-General. Miss Crafts is a daughter of Clayton Crafts, ex-Speaker of the fower House of the Illinois Legislature.

BUFFALO (N. Y.,) Dec. 12.—A special to the News from Albany says State Radinoad Commissioner Rickards fell dead in a barber-shop there today.

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This is headquarters for inexpensive Christmas presents. Sample fans half price and less. Dolls way below the market price. All new this season; 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75e and \$1. Some were sold for more than double last season. These are the times that a fifty-cent piece must answer the place of a dollar. We are looking for out you.

Inexpensive little things in the way of jewel and glove boxes, pin cushions, match safes, cigar holders, trays, fancy chinaware, small night lamps, button and glove hooks, paper knives, blotting tablets, picture and picture frames. mirrors, all the way from ten cents to one dollar. Fine goods for 25c and 50c.

3250 Fine Canes for 152 each.

Handkerchiefs-An entire new assortment, 10 for \$1, 8 for \$1, 6 for \$1, 5 for \$1, 4 for \$1, 3 for \$1, 2 for \$1. Handsome handkerchief boxes free with each dollar's worth of handkerchiefs.

Inkstands for 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

If there is anything wanted in either Cloaks, Capes Suits or Separate Skirts, we want to say to you don't pass the cloak department for real values. The weather has been greatly against selling the past four weeks. This leaves us with quite a large stock on hand. In order to sell this stock extraordinary cuts will be made. We have added the past week a lot of new capes that will be included in the big reduction. Shawls at big reductions to close the season. Cool weather will be here in abundance during January and February. It is the time to buy.

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OCIETY is fairly outdoing itself in the way of luncheons, which have been the principal form of entertainment thus far this season and the number of elegant ones given this last week are substantial evidence that this charming method of paying off social debts and doing honor visiting relatives and friends is at least not waning in popularity. Al-most as much thought and care are bestowed upon the decorations as upon the menu, and in consequence, the tables are often dreams of beauty. One of the most elegant luncheons of the ason, which combined a faultless enu and rarely beautiful decorations, menu and rarely beautiful decorations, was that given Thursday by Mrs. Longstreet, at her home on West Adams, for Miss Oreña of San Fran-cisco. The luncheons given by Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. Wilbur Parker and Mrs. Frederick Griffith, the breakfast given by Mrs. Ira O. Smith, and the Kregelo and Cadwalader dinners were all very delightful affairs, at which the decorations were exceptionally ar-tistic. Mrs. Horace Anderson's "art reception" on Thursday afternoon was unique and exceedingly enjoyable af-

The largest festivity of the week The largest festivity of the week was the delightful card party given Friday even.ng by Mrs. Victoria Harrell, at her elegant home on South Pearl street. The handsome rooms were fragrant with masses of long-stemmed roses, carnations and violets, which filled Indian baskets and over-flowed rare bowls and jars in every available nook. Warren's Mandolin Or-chestra was stationed in the recention available nook. Warren's Mandolin Or-chestra was stationed in the reception hall and discoursed fascinating music throughout the evening. A deliclous supper was served under the direc-tion of Reynolds, and a bowl of chamtion of Reynolds, and a bowl of cham-pagne punch in the hall was a much-enjoyed feature. The prizes, which were exceptionally elegant, were all in delft and the round score cards, which were the handlwork of Mrs. Annie Bancroft, bore dainty water-color designs in blue and white. The ladies' first, a centerore dainty water-color designs in blue and white. The ladies' first, a centerpiece, exquis'tely embroidered in blue ard white in delft designs, was won by Mrs. Ellis. The second, a beautiful plaque, by Mrs. Herron, and the consolation, a graceful desk lamp, by Miss Oreña. The gentlemen's first, a tall delft tankard and six steins, was awarded to Mr. Vetter; the second, a loving cup, was won by Dr. Coles and the consolation, a Doiton match-box, by Mr. Millar. Mrs. Harrell was very charming in white pompadour silk, garnitured with point lace and cerise velvet. Mrs. Dorsey wore a lovely gown of pink brocaded silk, garnitured with pearls, and Miss Owen was very pretty in white embroidered grenadine. The guests were:

Mesdames—
S. C. Hubbell,
Earl B. Millar,
J. S. Slauson,
Dean Mason,
C. C. Carpenter,
Forman,
S. S. Salisbury.
J. S. Vosburg,

tley.
H. Herron,
W. Blinn,
Stimson, Seattle,
N. Van Nuys,
S. Vosburg,
Longstreet,

Longstreet,
J. E. Plater,
Dorsey of Belvidere
L. C. Goodwin,
Briggs,
McClellan,
John Ellis.

Henderson.

W. M. Caswell, R. H. Herron, L. W. Blinn,

Fred Stimson,
1. N. Van Nuys,
Louis Vetter,
Notman,
James Slauson,
Charles Henderson,
Fred Henderson,

C. C. Carpenter,
Forman,
S. S. Sallsbury,
W. L. Graves,
T. D. Stimson,
Morlan,
George L. Cole,
J. T. Jones,
Willard Stimson,
J. H. Norton,
Walter B. Cline,
Misses—
Oreña,
Owen,

Messrs.— S. C. Hubbell, Earl B. Millar, J. S. Slauson, Dean Mason, T. D. Stimson. J. T. Jones, Willard Sti J. H. Norton Walter B. Cline,

Drs.-W. L. Graves, G. L. Cole,

Utley, Carl Kurtz. A LUNCHEON.

Mrs. C. C. Carpenter gave a charmingly informal luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. H. A. Waring of Clevenonor of Mrs. H. A. Waring of Cleveland. The table was prettily decorated with La France roses, arranged in a large cut-glass bowl resting on a rose-embroidered centerpiece. The other guests were: Mmes. Beatty of San Francisco, Rhodes of Cleveland, Rogers, C. M. Severance, George Bugbee and Lodwick. PROGRESSIVE HEARTS.

Mrs. J. F. Jenkins and Mrs. H. B. Strange entertained delightfully yes-

Pepper, Frank Taylor, Will Porter, Ben Goodrich, J. R. Dupuy, William Hunsaker, Olin Wellborn, Charles Wellborn, Frederick Harrigan Adams Darling, Richard Mercer, William West, Randall, Augustus Pratt, J. Ross Clark,

A RECEPTION.

Mrs. Paul Bresee and Miss Bresee gave a pleasant reception Friday afternoon, at their home on West Elevanistreet. They were assisted in receiving by Mmes. Phineas Bresee, Ernest Bresee and J. T. Parker. Mrs. McClintock of Pasadena, presided at the fruitade in a cozy corner of the parlor, and in the dining-room Mrs. Annie Bancroft poured tea and Mrs. W. S. Wright, chocolate, at the table, which was very prettily decorated with Papa Gontier roses and smilax. The Misses Young, Bingham, Schopbach and Bella Townsend assisted in the dining-room. The parlors and hall were attractively decorated with bamboo, roses and smilax. Several plano solos were rendered by the Misses Townsend, Goodwin and Raymer, and

were prettily decorated with flowers.
Those present were:
Mmes.
Judson, Martin,

A SUPPER

TWO INFORMAL AFFAIRS

The informal luncheon given yester-day by Mrs. Walter Lindley for Miss

BIRTHDAY LUNCHEON.

A PLEASANT AFTERNOON.

lightfully Friday afternoon at her home on West Seventh street. The feature

of the afternoon was a designing con-test for the Christmas decorations of

BON AMI CLUB.

L. A. Scholes, V. Hatfield,

the Christmas decorations of church. The prize, a book, was by Miss Crippen. Those present e: Mmes. Fullwood, Fred Salisbury, ry Merriman: the Misses Hartwell, lel Clute, Wisewell, Crippen and ler.

ed Friday evening by Mr. and

"Linda Vista," the home of Mr. and

Saunders Wright,

Gibson, Murphy,

Teale, Hendrick, Enderlein,

Walker,

G. Reardon, Matfield, Louisa Ganahl, Donovan.

Judson, Averill, Hay, Clark, Hubbard, Hadley, Stevens, Wood, Misses, Hunt, Hunt, Chapman,

Hunter, Reardon, O'Brien, Bell, Messrs.-

Messrs.Donovan,
Montgomery,
Burns,
O'Brien,
McElheney,
Heil,

Fhornton,
Aiken,
Studder,
E. Villa,
N. Villa,
C. Pratt,
Carter,
Kerchival.
H. Burke, CLASS RECEPTION.

Powell, Kneffer, George, Whedon, Morgan, Stafford, Paine,

Loring,
Cora Parker,
Grace Parker,
Messrs.—
Krug,
Chase Hillman, Lemberger, Thompson, Schraeder, schraeder,
Stuart,
Henry Stuart,
Boynton,
Hale,
Moyse,
Clark,
Brown,
Lebus,
Lacey.

"Linda Vista," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mesmer, was the scene of a delightful supper Monday evening, given to the Monday Evening Whist Club in honor of the club's president, Miss Ganahl. After the usual whist games, an oyster supper was served in the spacious dining-room, which was beautifully decorated with golden flowers and violets. Those present were:

Misses—
Ganahl, G. Reardon, The young ladies who gave such a delightful leap-year dancing party to the Stanford football team last June, will entertain the Berkeley boys in a simmar hashion on New Years eve at Woods's Hall on Pearl street near Eighth street. The young ladies are the Misses Julia Winston, Genevieve Smith, Zaidee Maxwell, Gertrude and Mae McCrea, Julia Mercereau and Bessie Bonsall.

McCrea, Julia Mercereau and Bessie Bonsall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wood of Santa Monica are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Sale over Sunday.

Mrs. Dan McFarland entertained informally at luncheon Friday. The guests were Mmes. R. H. Herron, F. K. Rule, Dwight Whiting, Fred Gay, Jaro von Schmidt, W. H. Bonsall and William Friesner.

Miss Harriet Smith of South Olive street will receive informally Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 5, to meet Miss Hutchinson of Columbus, O. Miss Smith will be assisted in receiving by Miss Gooding.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Borden entertained informally at dinner Wednesday evening in honor of Dr. W. L. Beebe of Philadelphia. The informal luncheon given yesterday by Mrs. Walter Lindley for Miss Myra Lindley was a charming affair. The table was prettily decorated with pink roses and smilax. The afternoon was devoted to the guessing of authors, at which the prize, a pretty bisque figure, was won by Miss Williams. The guests were the Misses Minnie Back, Genevieve Mullen, Florence Williams, Louise Bourke, Adelaide Brown, Helen Newlin and Hazel Patterson.

In the evening Miss Lindley entertained informally at cards and dancing in honor of Miss Back of Pasadena. The other guests were the Misses Elisa Bonsall, Elizabeth Alexander, Annette Gibson, Callie Meade, Lucy Sinsabaugh, Emma Graves; Messrs. Wilson Phelps, Burdette Jevne, Tom Haskins, Calvin Greene, Gurney Newlin, Thilo Lindley, S. Sinsabaugh and Harry Duffill.

day evening in honor of Dr. W. L. Beebe of Philadelphia.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Salisbury will be glad to know that they will return this week, accompanied by their family, to resume their residence in this city.

The regular monthly social of the Ebell will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30, at the club rooms on South Flower street. The programme will include a paper on "William Morris, as Man, Poet, Artisan and Socialist," followed by vocal and instrumental music. Mrs. W. A. Phelps gave a pretty luncheon yesterday at her home on Alluncheon yesterday at her home on Al-varado street in honor of the ninth birthday of her son John. The table was effectively decorated with red and yellow chrysanthemums, among which were scattered nine blazing candles. The little guests were Kittle Daniels, Pauline and Josephine Botts, Archie and Gordon Mac Leish, Phil and Jack Harrigan, Ebert Botts and Bemis Phelps.

The Bon Ami Club was pleasantly

entertained Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Wright Conklin at their home on South Spring street. The amusement of the evening was a word contest, at which the prizes were won by Mrs. Gerdes and Mr. Hatfield. The remainder of the evening was devoted to music and a supper. Those present were: Mesdames— Mesdames—
L. A. Scholes,
Victor Hatfield,
S. T. Eldridge,
C. L. Fogerty,
E. L. Burgoin,
H. G. Aylsworth,
E. T. Hughes,
Humboldt Morris,
Drs.—
B. O. Webb,
R. W. Whomes,
Cotton,
Gerdes,
Windheim,
Rifenberick,
W. Gerdes,
W. Gerdes,
Miss B. Rifenberick

refreshments were served. The guests of the club were the Misses Christine Kurtz and Belle Baker.

A SURPRISE.

Paulk's Hall, West Washington street, Monday evening. About thirty couples were present. The music was furnished by the Schoneman-Blanchard Orchestre.

The Frank Bartlett W.R.C. will hold its bazaar Saturday, at No. 330½ South

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Mrs. Wellington C. Burke gave an Informal luncheon on Thursday, at her home on West Thirtieth street. Covers were laid for eight, and the decorations were violets and carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Dorn delightfully entertained a few friends at their pretty home on Twenty-seventh street, Friday evening. After cards and music, the guests indulged in a Dutch supper. Those present were: Prof. and Mrs. F. A. Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. Sutton and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark.

Mrs. Secondo Guasti is rapidly recovering from her illness, and is expected home this week.

Miss Lemoa Eager entertained at luncheon Friday, at her home on Temple street. The table was prettily decorated with pink carnations, violets and ferns. Covers were laid for eight.

Mrs. George W. Benson arrived on Wednesday from Chicago, and with Mr. Benson, will remain on the Coast during the winter.

Mrs. F. B. Dresslar left Saturday for a month's stay at Live Oak Villa, Monrovia.

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Mrs. R. C. Martin, who has made an extended trip through the Eastern States, returned to her home, No. 423 College street, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cochems entertained a number of their friends Wednesday evening, at their home on South Grand avenue, in celebration of their paper wedding anniversary. The parlors were tastefully decorated with smilax and roses. Several selections were played by Mr. Jones and Mr. Defty, Mr. Wite sang and recited, and Mrs. Cochems

roses. Several selections were played by Mr. Jones and Mr. Defty, Mr. Wite sang and rec'ted, and Mrs. Coche'ns sang, accompanied by Mrs. Wrives. Dancing and card-playing followed. Miss Carrie A. Merritt and Charles C. Rice were married last Thursday, by the Rev. O. V. Price.

The pariors of Hotel Broadway were niled last evenig with the friends of Mrs. Rebecca Spring, in whose honor the Women's Press Club, of which Mrs. George Ruddy is president, issued over one hundred invitations to a "Rebecca Spring Evening." Mrs. Mary Howman read a biographical sketch of the lady, who, in the course of her long life, has been associated with literary celebrities and other people of note, and Mrs. Clara S. Brown read an humorous skit on "Perennial Youth." Music was a feature of the evening's entertainment. A small maiden all in white presented Mrs. Spring with a wreath of flowers, embletoatic of "friendship and dnity," rectling verses composed by her mother, Mrs. J. Torrey Connor, for the ceemblematic of "friendship and anity," recuting verses composed by her mother, Mrs. J. Torrey Connor, for the cc-casion. The pariors were prettily decorated with flowers, and Russian tea was served.

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A surprise party was given Miss Frances A. Unger at her home on Catifornia street Friday evening. Dancing and music were enjoyed. Those present were Miss Florence Bates of San Francisco, the Misses Daisy Griffith. Elanche Clark, Edith Morgan, Messrs. Jack Fleming, Harry Baldwin of Oakland, Art Lewis, Jerry Montgomery and George Cruse.

Mrs. Edward L. Hine, who has recently gone to Santa Barbara to reside, is the guest of her mother. Mrs. Elliott of No. 432 Court street, and will remain until after the holidays.

OUT-OF-TOWN SOCIETY.

cial Notes and Personal Gossip SAN DIEGO.

SAN DIEGO.

One of the happiest social affairs of the week was the banquet in honor of the eighty-seventh birthday anniversary of the Hon. George H. Hill, at Hotel Florence on Saturday night. The leading business and professional men of the city gathered to do honor to this venerable gentleman, who, though he is old in years, is young in heart with of the city gathered to do honor to this venerable gentleman, who, though he is old in years, is young in heart, with faculties acute and in perfect condition. Covers were laid for fourteen. Mr. Hill's anniversary is of exceptional interest to many San Diego people. He was one of the first stockholders of the Santa Fé road, and to his vigorous Musical Club was held last Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Wetherby. The programme rendered by members of the club was thoroughly enjoyed. The next meeting will be held on Januay 6, at he residence of Mrs. W. G. Cogswell.

Mrs. Thomas Rulledge and son Clifford, of Colusa, will arrive on Tuesday to spend a month with the former's sister, Miss Teresa Ernst and Mrs. H. P. Ernst. Mrs. Rutledge will be at home to her friends on Thursdays.

Robert Hale, president of the school board, entertained very pleasantly last evening at his home on South Grand avenue the several teachers who instructed his children.

Dr. W. L. Beebe of Philadelphia was delightfully entertained at dinner last Tuesday by Dr. and Mrs. George L. Cole.

Rev. William Johnson, M. A., will deliver a lecture Monday evening in the boarlors of the First Presbyterian Church on "Saxon Shrines and Celitch Holy Places," illustrated by dissolving views. The affair, which is under the auspices of the Ladies' Ald Society, is for the purpose of aiding in paying for a teacher at the Sao Paula Seminary, in Brazil.

The ladles of the Plymouth Congregational Church will hold a fair and serve a New England dinner Tuesday afternoon and evening. December, 15, at Plymouth Church, Twenty-first and Lovelace avenue.

Mrs. F. Kimball entertained informally at whist Friday evening at herhome on South Flower street, in honor of Miss Edna Brown of Peoria.

Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Haskel, Mr. and Mrs. Phollas, Mr. and Mrs. Haskel, Mr. and Mrs. Haskel, Mr. and Mrs. Among those present were Mr., and Mrs. Phollas, Mr. and Mrs. Haskel, Mr. and Mrs. Among those present were Mrs., and Mrs. Flatzer of Mrs. Among those present were Mrs., and Mrs. Flatzer of Mrs. Among those present were Mrs., and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Haskel, Mr. and Mrs. Haskel, Mr. and Mrs. Haskel, Mr. and Mrs. Hand Mrs. Among those present were Mrs., and Mrs. Shrader, Mr. and Mrs. Haskel, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Hask scales. Some and structed his children. The East And Club was pleasant to the East And East An

tures of the programme were a reading by Mrs. E. C. Miles, a recitation by Miss May Hubbard, a reading by Mrs. Austin and a reading by Miss Orra Burke. Mrs. Lodge, in behalf of the Board of Trustees, of which body Mr. Hull is a member, presented to Mr. and Mrs. Hull a chocolate service. Mr, Hull made a suitable response. Theodore J. Kanouse of Glendale, in behalf of the Good Templars, presented a gold watch-charm bearing the emblems of the order, and suitably inscribed. In response Mr. Hull expressed thanks and spoke of the work of the order in the uplifting of man. Among the people present from out of town were: Miss Burke, Miss Hughes and Messrs. Bean, Tedword, Inman, Needham and Sheckles of Los Angeles; T. D. Kanouse, A. F. Baldwin and C. Good-Glendale; Mrs. Mary Greene and Frank W. Greene, Highland Park; Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, Soldiers' Home; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Dakin, San Pedro.

here to Honolulu to join her husband and make her future home.

Mrs. S. M. Grant of Berkeley entertained the Orange county students at the State University last week. The reception was at the close of the football game.

tage City, Wis.

Dr. W. B. Sawyer has gone on a three-weeks' trip to Chicago. City Trustee Simms and Superintendent of Streets Finch have returned from a tour of the northern part of the State, where they visited a number of the State institutions.

Mrs. S. H. Herrick visited friends in Corona last week.
Mrs. C. W. Janes is spending a couple of weeks with Los Angeles friends. P. M. Cate of Plumas county is spending the winter in Riverside.
E. L. Strack of Santa Ana has decided to remove to this city with his family.

A whist club was organized Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. M. A. Davis, composed of the following ladies and gentlemen:

fines.—
A. Davis,
W. Blanchard,
F. Eggers,
W. F. Diss,
S. Wood,
N. B. Ball, Kate Ball.

Miss—
Kate Ball.

Messrs.—
W. W. Blanchard, J. A. Whitmore,
L. F. Eggers, A. H. Koebig,
J. W. F. Diss, L. A. Pfeiffer,
J. S. Wood, F. W. Gregg,
Seth Marshall, W. A. Ball.

A club of young people held its first meeting Saturday evening as guests of Miss Ella Lawson. It was composed of the Misses Olive Byrne, Ella Lawson, Elizabeth Stockton, Nora Baland and Messrs Paul Shoup, H. H. Lawson, C. A. Whitmore, A. A. Lathrop,
A. third whist club was organized Thursday evening and was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dunscomb, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dunscomb, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dunscomb, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hanf.
Miss Leslie Sharkleton has returned to her home in Los Angeles after spending a month in this city as a guest of Miss Bertha Shirley

The Bachelors' Club has issued invitations for another dance, to be given December 18.

Judge J. G. Carpenter and daughter

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al Baking Powder

of Placerville, are the guests of H. L. Drew and family.
Mrs. C. H. Jones is visiting friends in Los Angeles.
R. Wilber left Monday for Phoenix, Ariz.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Perry have gone to Phoenix, Ariz.
Mrs. W. F. Kennedy of Seattle, Wash., is a guest of Mrs. M. E. Parsons.

Mrs. R. G. Willard and Mrs. F. N. Harrison left last week for Rands-

Harrison left last week for Randsburg.
G. W. Taylor is enjoying a visit to Louisville, Ky,, his old home, for the first time in twenty years.
Mrs. James Dumbreck and daughter, former residents of this city, have returned from Chicago to spend the winter.
W. G. Moore and family have arrived from St. Louis to once more make their home in this city, after an absence of a year.
Mrs. L. A. Falk and daughter of San Francisco are visiting in the city.
Mrs. A. P. Morse has returned from a visit with friends at Santa Monica.
Lirs. W. S. Hooper is visiting relatives in Los Angeles.
REDLANDS. REDLANDS.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Waters of Los Angeles greeted their many friends in town the past week. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Judson. Mrs. McElroy and Miss Gill gave a progressive euchre party to their fel-low-guests at the Casa Loma Wednes-

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Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bisbee of Los
Angeles, who were married in San
Diego on Wednesday, spent a portion
of the past week in Rediands at the
Casa Loma.

Albert W. Senter has arrived from
Houghton, Mich., to remain a month.
The wedding of Miss Gertrude E.
Worthing and John P. Hight, Jr., is
announced to take place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. O. A. Worthing, on Wednesday
of this week.

The ladies of Trinity Guild gave an
enjoyable reception to Bishop and Mrs.
Johnson Monday evening at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Allen.
Prof. Charles R. Skinner was a guest
of A. K. Smiley the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sinclair gave an
enjoyable progressive euchre party on

of A. K. Smiley the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sinclair gave an enjoyable progressive euchre party on Thursday evening at their pleasant home on Lugonia avenue. About sixty friends enjoyed the games and the dainty refreshments.

W. H. Peller, who has been at the Baker House for a couple of months, has departed for England, with a view of leaving soon for South Africa. He gave his name in early days to a subdivision of this city.

Mrs. C. O. King has returned to her home in San Luis Obispo, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. T. W. Johnson.

Mrs. Alice L. Armour, editor of the Orange Post, and Miss Bessie Taylor, reporter on the Minneapolis Tribune, have been guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dean. Miss Taylor is a niece of both Mrs. Armour and Mrs. Dean, and is spending the winter in Southern California.

POMONA. Next Wednesday the wedding of L S. Androus, son of State Senator Sam-uel N. Androus, and Miss Edith G.

uel N. Androus, and Miss Edith G. Brown, one of the fair daughters of Michigan, who has recently arrived in Pomona, and is now the guest of Mrs. C. H. Marshall, will take place.

The Pomona Dramatic Club will play here for the benefit of the Unitarian Church on next Thursday evening, in the new Armory Operahouse.

The Ladles' Aid Society of the Christian Church are arranging an entertainment and old-time New England dinner for an early date, to raise needed funds in their line of work.

Miss J. M. Lewis has been visiting her brother, Walter A. Lewis, of this city.

here.
Mrs. C. W. Hawkins and her grand-daughter, Miss Annie Cason, have been absent for some time on a visit.
William P. Dean has two neices on a visit from the East. Mrs. Roberts a visit from the East. Mrs. Roberts and daughter of Iowa. and Miss Abble Warner of Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Romick left last week for a visit of two months in Niles, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. House are absent on a tour in the upper part of the State.

R. F. Davis and family will remove to Westminster for future residence.

WHITTIER.

WHITTIER. Mrs. Alva Starbuck, who has been isiting friends at Fullerton, revisiting friends at Tanaca, turned yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coombs of Long Beach visited some of their riends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheney of Berlin, Wis., are guests of Louis Butman for the winter.

winter.

Francis Wright and family of Los
Angeles have moved into their new
cottage on Friends avenue. Mrs.
Gaines, their daughter, is stopping with
them for a few days before taking up
her residence in Colorado.

STEPDA MADES.

SIERRA MADRE. Miss Alma Jones gave a picnic last Sunday in honor of her friends, Miss Brousseau of Los Angeles. Those present were Mrs. C. Blakeman Jones, Miss Brousseau and Miss Jones; Messrs. Homer P. Earle and Arthur Putnam. ONTARIO.

ONTARIO.

Mrs. L. W. Gentry, who has been visiting in the East during the summer, returned to Ontario Wednesday.

Mrs. Hooper is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Rimpau, at San Pedro.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Frost and Mrs. Emerson of Delaware, O., are guests of the family of B. F. Longwell.

Col. W. M. Gartshore of London. Can., visited his old neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. John Osborn, last week,

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Wood, who have been making an extended visit in the East and Canada during the past summer, returned to Ontario last Monday.

John D. Gaylord and family of Nors

John D. Gaylord and family of Nora springs, Idwa, arrived in Ontario Tuesday. Mr. Gaylord purchased property in Ontario when on a visit here last winter, and has come to make this his permanent residence.

A reception will be given Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Phillips by Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Trask at their residence on the South Side next Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, who were recently wedded, will be at home to their friends in their new home on Transit street, after January 1.

D. Kilpatrick of Los Angeles was in Ontario Thursday.

The Ontario Dancing Club will entertain its friends at a social dance next Thursday evening:

See Hicks before purchasing your andy. He has the cheapest and best.

Mark the Difference.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—(To the Editor of The Times:) After reading the letter of "Rev." J. A. B. Wilson in this morning's Herald, and other, I believe, equally false charges against Chief Glass, made by the Parkhurst Society, I deem it my duty to say a few words in his defense. Over eight years ago, before he was ever Chief, he was a detective, and in that capacity was engaged by my mother to find me, then a girl of 18, who had left home. He found me in a sporting-house, and begged me to go home, which I would not do at that time, He called several times and tried to persuade me to reform. He talked to me like a father. I never heard him say a vulgar or indecent word, and never saw him drink a drop of liquor in the house or out of it since I have known him. I never heard a minister talk as honorably and sensibly to me or any other girl as Chief Glass, and it is owing to his kind, fatherly words that I am today married and living a respectable life. It is my opinion if these "reverend" gentlemen, who visited those sporting-houses and drank with the girls and induced them to dance nude, had followed in the Chief's footsteps in dealing with the poor, unfortunate girls who need kind, sympathetic words to encourage and reform them, they would have accomplished something in Christ's own line of work, instead of making those girls lose what little rspect they had for the gospel by descending to such degradation as they did. A REFORMED WOMAN.

(The statements contained in the above have been investigated and found to be true. The writer of the letter has reformed and owes her reformation to the advice given by John M. Glass.)

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Strange entertained delightfully yesterday afternoon at progressive hearts at their pleasant home on Alvarado street. The parlors were effectively decorated with masses of chrysanthemums and smilax, and potted plants, while Luxembourg tea roses were prettily arranged about the diningroom The favors were dainty affairs in the form of flowers The games were followed by a tempting luncheon. The first prize, a set of violet-embroidered linen photograph frames, was won by Mrs. Van Gleson; the second, a pink silk and white lace pin-cushion, by Mrs. Frank Taylor, and the consolation, a Japanese calendar, and blotter, was bestowed upon Mrs. Miller. Those present were:

Mmes.—
Miller, Pepper, Miller, Van Gleson, O. P. Posey, Sheldon Borden, E. H. Moore,

William West,
R. L. Horton,
Clarke,
W. A. Phelps,
T. A. Elsen,
Frank Walsh,
Misses—
Ida White,
Houghton, Maude Maynard, A RECEPTION

Miss Emma Pooler was given a pleas Miss Emma Pooler was given a pleasant surprise party at her home on St. Elmo and Alamo streets, Friday evening. Among those present were:

Misses—
S. MacMillan, Jennie Reese, F. Platt, ' Edith Owens, Annie Parle, Kittle Parle, Messrs.—

Hawkins, Doughty, Terrell, Studder, L. Dalton.

Mess Jennie Pooler was given a pleasant of pleasant of pleasant of the form of the following th

The summer class of '97 of the High School gave its officers a pleasant re-ception at the home of Miss Elizabeth ception at the home of Miss Elizabeth Lebus. Observation and recognition contests afforded much amusement. The prize in the former was won by De Forest Howry. Songs were rendered by Mr. Howry and members of the Al-pha Upsilon San Fraternity. Those

present were:
Misses—
Edith Barber, Lebus, Tyler, Leeds, Lizzie Leeds, Lambie, Wesner,

Harris,

NOTES AND PERSONALS similar fashion on New Years' eve at

music.

The regular meeting of the Bostonian Musical Club was held last Wednesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Wetherby. The programme rendered by members of the club was thor-Mrs. Fred Parke, chairman of the Decorating Committee of Immanuel Church, entertained the committee de-

SANTA ANA. SANTA ANA.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Mediock enterained a number of their friends at dinner at their home on North Main

ner at their home on North Main street, Wednesday evening.
The father and mother of Ross Gandy of Tustin have arrived from Texas to make this valley their future home.
R. B. Belford and family have returned to their home at Capistrano, after a visit of some time in the East. Miss Teressa Pryor of San Juan is in Oceanside, the guest of relatives and friends for a few weeks.
Miss Zella Keim of Tustin has gone to Chino, where she expects to remain for several months.
W. S. Ritchey, an old-time resident of this valley, was given a genuine surprise party at his home near this city last Tuesday evening. The event was in honor of Mr. Ritchey's fifty-fourth birthday, and about fifty of his most intimate friends were present. Mrs. L. E. Kiefhaber of Redlands is in Santa Ana visiting her father and family for a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dodge, who have been residents of Orange for the past year or more, departed a few days ago for their eastern home in Cambridge, Pa.
John Buchanon and family of Da-

John Buchanon and family of Da-kota have arrived in Orange, where they expect to remain during the win-ter.

Mrs. C. B. Crawford and infant daughter of Olive have gone to Bakers-field, where they expect to remain for some time.

field, where they expect to remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bishop of Santa Ana entertained a number of their friends at whist, at their residence on North Main street, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Crossier have returned to this city from a visit of several weeks with friends in the East.

L. C. Rice of Tropico visited Santa Ana Friday of this week.

Miss Florence East has returned to her home in Olive, after a pleasant visit with friends in Chicago and Cheyenne.

enne.
Miss Ellen Bolton of Fullerton has Miss Ellen Bolton of Fullerton has been enjoying a visit from her friend, Mrs. Keeler of Los Angeles.
Mrs. Ross Boring of Los Angeles has been the guest of Mrs. W. B. S. Lewis of Fullerton for several days.
Mrs. A. G. Stevens of Boston is in Fullerton, the guest of her sister, Miss Nancy Greeg.

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Robert Sprowl of Placentia has gone to Texas, where he expects to remain for an indefinite time.
Rev. U. H. Spencer of Orange has spent the past week among his friends at Corona.
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McFadden of Placentia visited friends in Los Angeles the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ford of Fullerton are enjoying a visit from Mr. Ford's father, who recently arrived from Arcadia, Kan. Mr. Ford will remain in California during the winter.
Mr. and Mrs. John Johnston have returned to their home at Villa Park from an extended stay at Long Beach. Mel Greenleaf of Yuma is in Santa Ana, the guest of relatives and friends. Mrs. W. G. Devore has returned from Los Angeles, where she has been visiting for several weeks.
Miss Ella Mulinix of San Diego is in Santa Ana, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitson.
George Clark, wife and daughter, and Mr. Stewart of St. Thomas, Can., have arrived in Orange, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wilbur at the present time. Mr. and Mrs. Clark will probably make California their future home.
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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bolter of Long Beach have been in Santa Ana for several days, the guests of Miss Ora Ball on North Main street.

Capt. J. M. Hart of Illinois is a recent arrival in the Santa Ana Valley. He is located at Orange, and is stopping at the Palmyra Hotel.

Mrs. Hawthorne (née Wilhite) has arrived from Maine to make her parents an extended visit. She goes from here to Honolulu to join her husband a

RIVERSIDE. Mrs. Patrick left last week for Por-

Mrs. S. H. Herrick visited friends in

cided to remove to this city with his family.

Mrs. F. J. Peddie, after a visit of several weeks with friends in this city, has departed for her home in Detroit, Mich.

Archibald Douglass and family of Los Angeles spent a portion of last week in town at the Glenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brown have returned from their home in Galesburg, for another winter in Riverside.

SAN BERNARDINO.

A whist club was organized Thurs-

Tell Your Husband...

That You Saw

------Tomorrow-

Gift Sale

Cutest Buckets of French

Souvenirs

At Cut Prices.

WEDDING INVITATIONS, Monograms, Crests and Calling Cards,

Read What a Few of the Many Say Who Have Had Teeth

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13, 1885.

A. F. Schiffman, D.D.S., City—Dear Sir: It affords me great pleasure to in this manner testity my appreciation of your skill and methods. I have at various times during the past six months received treatment personally, and also for my family, at your office, and the usual torture in extracting teeth and filling the same is changed into complete satisaction, if not pleasure, through the painless system you employ. I would therefore heartily recommend any of my friends to you who may be in need of your valuable services. Yours truly,

S. A. D. JONES,

General Agent New York Life Ins. Co.

ANAHEIM, Nov 22, 1895.

I had 28 teeth extracted, and have gained nine pounds since, in last three months. I am so well pleased with your manner of relieving me of the old teeth that I shall now try a full set of your manufacture, and cheerfully recommend with the state of the ully recommend you to any person desiring work in your profession. WILLIAM BOYD.

Hon. W. W. Braden, ex-State Auditor of Minnesota, now living in Los Angeles, says: I cheerfully recommend Dr. Schiffman's method for the PAINLESS extraction of teeth. I KNOW HOW IT IS MYSELF. W. W. BRADEN.

MR. JOHN H. SCHUMACHER SAYS. Dr. Schiffman has filled teeth and done other work for me, and I must say that he is the easiest deatist that ever worked for me. The doctor is exceedingly gentle in his handling of and working on the teeth, and I consider his work of the very best. All his work on my teeth was PERFECTLY PAINLESS. I highly commend him to my friends.

JOHN H. SCHUMACHER,

No. 107 North Spring street.

It is with pleasure that I state that I have had several teeth filled by Dr. Schiffman, and that he killed the nerve and extracted and filled the root of one of my teeth and put a bettelain crown which cannot be distinguished from a natural tooth, all of which was done without pain.

JUDSON R. RUSH, Fulton Block, 207 New High st.

I take pleasure in making this statement to the public:

I do hereby certify, this 20th day of December, A. D. 1895, Dr. Schiffman did pull three teeth for me WITHOUT PAIN, and two of said teeth were badly ulcerated. One tooth was broken off to the gum. I recommend hiship his method of pulling teeth. I was really afraid to have my teeth pulled. I shall cheerfully recommend him to all my many friends and relatives. An old-time resident, E. F. CHARNOCK, No. 316 Clay street.

Dr. Schiffman—Dear Sir: The work you have just completed for me is most satisfactory and it affords me pleasure to state that at no time while you were operating did I undergo one instant of pain. Considering the many hours of torture I have, heretofore suffered while occupying a den-tal chair, your method of operating is little short of marvelous. Respectfully yours, With the Prawley company, Los Angeles theater.

Dr. Schiffman—My Dear Sir: Allow me to testify my sincere appreciation of the work you have done for me. From past experience I had almost been led to believe that dental work could not be done without inflicting torture on the subject, and the more pain inflicted the bigger would be the bill. The entire absence of pain while in your hands, the excellence of your work, and the reasonableness of your charge combine to make me sincerely grateful that I was fortunate enough to visit you. Truly yours, H. S. DUFFIELD.

Manager Frawley company, at Los Angeles the ater.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 20, 1895.
To Whom it may concern: This is to certify that I had (wo (2) teeth extracted this day by Dr. Schiffman ABSOLUTELY WITH-OUT PAIN, and without the use of gas, ether, chloroform or any other dangerous anesthetic. The local anesthetic is not unpleasant and the whole procedure of extraction is performed in the most gentle as well as the most efficient manner. I consider Dr. Schiffman as a benefactor to the human race in relieving surgical dentistry of its indescribable tortures.

N. SAUNDERS. Professor of Modern Languages, Throop Pol.

I had five teeth pulled without pain by the Schiffman method. MRS. S. A. CRAWFORD, 559 Wolfskill ave.

LOS ANGELES, April 11, 1896.

I have had a great deal of trouble in having my teeth extracted, but at last I have found Dr. Schiffman, who has just extracted two of my largest teeth without pain whatever. I indorse his method with great satisfaction.

JEWELL PEASE.

239 South Spring st., with Niles Pease Furniture Company.

Dr. Schiffman has just extracted for me a back tooth which had been tried and given up by two reputable, first-class dentists of this city. He did it without but one application, and upon the first trial. He is unquestionably thoroughly scientific and should rank very high among his profession.

MRS. G. M. HOLTON.
227 South Bunker Hill avenue.

DID NOT MIND IT A BIT. I take great pleasure in recommending Dr Schiffman. I have had several dentists work Schiffman. I have had several dentists work for me, but I consider Dr. S. the easiest and most conscientious of all. He did excellent work for me, and although I have suffered before in having teeth filled but did not mind it one bit this time.

MISS MAUD MASAC.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 15, 1896.

This afternoon Dr. Schiffman extracted two teeth for me. One was wedged between two others, which had grown over it, and had been pulled on several times by eastern dentists. The other was exceedingly difficult to extract, but Dr. Schiffman took it out in less than two minutes. All was done without the slightest pain.

FRED B. LIEWELLYN.

Dr. Schiffman extracted an ulcerated toot Dr. Schiffman extracted an uncerated took
for me WITHOUT A PARTICLE OF PAIN.
C. J. LEHMAN,
Ticket Broker, 213 South Spring street.

This is to certify that I have had ten teeth pulled by so-called experts in Chicago, St. Louis. Evansville and Louisville, but for neatness and dispatch, I mean quick and PAINLESS WORK, Dr. Schiffman's method has no equal. I can truthfully say it was entirely painless to me; and a few moments before my tooth was pulled, which was done in a few seconds, I was suffering intensely. I have taken gas and vitalized air, and they are not to be combared.

Office 118 South Broadway.

I had a badly ulcerated wisdom tooth extracted, without hurting, by Dr. Schiffman.
B. F. DAY. Southern California Music Company.

Dr. Schiffman extracted some teeth for me, also did some filling and other work without causing me any inconvenience.

MRS. W. H. FILLMORE,
143 North Sichel st.. Los Angeles. INGLEWOOD (Cal.,) Nov. 27, 1895.

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As regards physical suffering, I am a "super-sensitive," having never been able to obtain the slightest relief by the use of anisations. Recently I had three teeth extracted by the Schiffman process, and although two of them were badly ulcerated, the operation was absolutely painless, with no disagreeable after-sensations, and I am pleased to add one more signature to Dr. Schiffman's long list of unsolicited testimonials.

MRS. J. C. DAVIES DUARTE (Cal.,) Dec. 5, 1895.

Dr. Schiffman's method for the painless extraction of teeth is certainly the most wonderful achievement in modern den-tistry. Recently I was compelled to avail myself of the new process, with delightful results, MRS. T. E. ROWAN. 533 South Main street.

I met Dr. Schiffman some four or five years ago, through Dr. Bryant (the Police Surgeon.) an old friend of his, who knew him his St. Paul, Minn. My teeth were in bad shape, and from having had a tooth crushed in extracting, had completely lost my nerve, and preferred neuralgia and toothache to again getting into a dentist's chair. I finally called on Dr. Schiffman, who extracted six or eight teeth, made me a temporary plate, filled three teeth, and afterward made me a permanent gold plate, which I have since worn. I can only say that Dr. Schiffman has saved me hours of suffering; that everything he did for me was in every way satisfactory, and that I shall consider myself under obligations to him to the end of time.

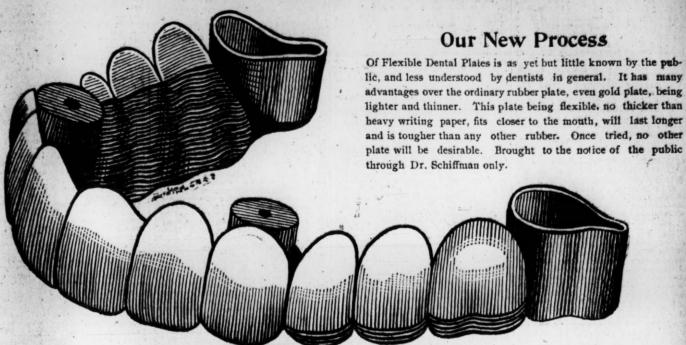
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WM. G TAYLOR,

Dr. Schiffman filled a very sensitive tooth and extracted one ulcerated root for me. WITHOUT A PARTICLE OF PAIN, by His

For the past eight years I have visited the dentist's chair with unfailing regularity. Some twelve months ago a friend recommended me to Dr. Schiffman, who has put my teeth, for the first time in my life, in perfect condition. The only pain whatever I suffered has been

WITHOUT PAIN



One Gold Filling in Every Flexible Rubber Plate Free of Charge.

caused by a few of the genial doctor's jokes.

Dr Schiffman recently did considerable dental work for me, and I was not only surprised, but very much delighted to experience what I never did before in the dental chair—that is, having teeth filled without the slightest pain. Since the work was done I have taken more comfort with my teeth than ever before in my life. The dector's method of filling sensitive teeth is certainly a grand success. His work is the best recommendation, and no one need now dread having teeth filled if they employ Dr. Schiffman to do it. now dread having
Dr. Schiffman to do it.
MRS, V. J. ROWAN,
123 West Adams.

OTHER DENTISTS SAID COULD NOT

OTHER DENTISTS SAID COULD NOT BE SAVED.

My little boy, 5 years old, had suffiered a great deal with toothache, and his teeth were unusually badly decayed for one so young, in fact, so much so that other dentists said that nothing could be done, and that the teeth must be extracted. I heard of Dr. Schiffman and decided to give him a trial. The doctor filled end saved all of the little teeth (some fitteeh or sixteen fillings,) and did it without even the slightest pain. He also filled three teeth and extracted two teeth for my little girl, aged 10, without a particle of pain. I

No. 826 West Tenth street.

It affords me much pleasure to recor Dr. Schiffman as an unusually proficient conscientious and painstaking dentist. Burlington ave., and Seventh st.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13, 1895.

Having had eleven teeth extracted this morning by Dr. A. F. Schiffman, it gives mepleasure to attest to his method, I did not suffer in the least, and would recommend his method as being the most humane I have ever experience.

CHARLES W. EDDS, Contractor and Builder, 127 E. 32d st., city.

The dental work done by Dr. S. for member of my family was executed skillfully, and I can recommend him as a scientific and UP-TO-DATE dentist. E. C. BOWER,
Fulton Block, New High street.

It is with pleasure that I recommend the Schiffman method for the extraction of teeth. I have had seventeen teeth extracted by this method, and I would say that it cannot be improved upon. OTTO FREEMAN, No. 287 California street, Paradena.

CAME FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO HAVE WORK DONE. .

I consider Dr. Schiffman an excellent dentist, having done dental work for myself and fam-ily for ecveral years. His work is all pain-less. I have come here in preference to havless. I have come here in preference to have ing it done in San Francisco.

LITTLE GRANDDAUGHTER LIKES TO HAVE HER TEETH WORKEDON. My little granddaughter had always before cried whenever a dentist worked on her teeth. We saw Dr. S.'s advertisement and tried him. His painless work is something wonderful, and now the little girl does not cry when the doctor fixes her teeth, and she likes to have her teeth worked on now. Hereafter we will always go to Dr. Schiffman for tooth filling. MRS. R. CROUSE, No. 2019 South Main street.

I am afflicted with heart trouble, and last time I had a tooth extracted it greatly injured me and I did not recover for three days. Dr. Schiffman extracted some teeth for me which did NOT HURT ME A PARTICLE, and I can recommend his new method for extraction of teeth. S. L. SKINNER, 801 Yolo avenue, Pasadena.

It affords me great pleasure to say that I It affords me great pleasure to say that It have this day had three teeth extracted by the Schiffman Method Dental Company, two of which were very bad and hard to get, one being ulcerated, and best of all, it gave me NO PAIN WHATEVER. I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Schiffman's method to all wishing teeth extracted; they are very careful to do their, work thoroughly and POSITIVELYWITHOUT PAIN. Respectfully, C. M. BALDWIN, Photographer. 261 N. Fair Oaks ave., Pasadena,

While waiting for the train and nursing a throbbing tooth. I thought of the half-page ad that I had often seen in the Los Angeles Times, 'Dr. Schiffman extracts teeth without pain,' etc., etc. To think was to act, I was soon in the chair and that tooth was out, yes, and 'without pain,' and all for half a dollar. I never got more satisfactory results from a small investment. Doctor thanks awfully, once again.

R. S. BASSETT, Pomona, Cal.

I cheerfully recommend Dr. Schiffman's method for extracting teeth. MISS F. HASKIN, Compton.

I have just had a wisdom tooth extracted that three other dentists failed on. One dentist in Texas worked on it for three hours and two dentists in Los Angeles for two hours. It was extracted here without pain. For anyone that is suffering with their teeth I can heartly recommend them to Dr. Schiffman.

G. T. BENNETT, 136 W. Fifth Street.

Open Every Day But Sunday-

Schiffman Method Dental Co.,

ROOMS 22 TO 26 SCHUMACHER BLOCK, 107 N. SPRING ST.

Twenty Years in Practice.

Five Years in Los Angeles.

Twenty Years in Practice.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE,

MORE DIVIDENDS.

CITY BANK CREDITORS PLAY-ING IN LUCK.

Interesting Testimony of the "Beauty Wonder" in the Willard Divorce Case.

AUDITOR TEALE'S ACCOUNTS.

BOOKS IN THE OFFICE TO BE

Employment of Extra Clerical Help for the Purpose-Canvass

At the City Hall vesterday the Coun cil conducted a canvass of the election returns, without being able to announce at the close any official figures. The Finance Committee, in its report to the Council, took cognizance of the condi-tion of the City Auditor's books. Res-idents of Vernon have petitioned the Council for numerous electric lights.

At the Courthouse yesterday an orwas made by Judge Shaw allowing a 7-per-cent. dividend to the creditors of the defunct City Bank. Receiver Washburn made the statement that the washourn made the statement that the entire affairs of the bank would be closed up within ninety days. Judge McKinley filed his opinion in the Lytle Creek water case. More suits were filed against the Southern Pacific Railroad for the recovery of money paid out on lands for which no patents could be secured. Five divorce cases were tried yesterday, three decree being granted. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the treasurer of the Ancient Order of Druids for embezzlement. Judgment on foreclosure was given against T. S. C. Lowe. Justice siter of Pasadena made an error in tencing a petty-larceny prisoner to the than six months' imprisonment.

County Jail Arrivals

The number of vagrants sent to the County Jail from the suburban towns is not diminishing in the slightest degree. The following unfortunates were registered there yesterday: Thomas Brown, John Morris, vagrancy, Pasadena; ten days; Martin Daley, J. Murphy, vagrancy, Downey, ten days; David Roy, misdemeanor, Peter Smith, vagrancy, San Fernando, ten days; Robert Wills, William White, W. Tanner, Carl Kelerar, petty larceny, San Fernando. The number of vagrants sent to the

Bishop Johnson Visits Moreno. The first visit of Bishop J. H. John-on to Moreno, Riverside county, was nade on Tuesday, December 8. The made on Tuesday, December 8. The bishop found a very pretty town settled among fruit trees, blooming flowers, and a people eager for the services of the church. Moreno is but five years old, ten miles from Redlands and eighteen from Riverside. The mission is under the care of Rev. J. D. Easter, D.D., of Redlands, who accompanied the bishop. Mr. Nason has served as lay-reader, having held the first service, and continued until now. P. T. Carter will take his place. [AT THE CITY HABL.]

VASSING TREM.

Many Polling Lists Incomplete, Lack ing Signatures of Election Of-ficers - Official Figures Cannot Yet Be Given Out.

election officers had perpetrated in pre-

testifying that the election board of officers had been properly sworn in. This affidavit was lacking in the re-turns from precincts 6, 11, 21, 28, 20, 34, 41, 47, 49A, 58, 59 and 64. There

With the exception of these pre-cincts, the returns were all canvassed yesterday. No material changes were made necessary by the canvass. In Precinct 12, Burr Bassell was credited with 105 votes, when he received 45. Nothing besides this change was noted, that was of any significance. The Council will make no allowances for the payment or election officials un-til the irregularities found yesterday are straightened out by the respon-sible officials.

CITY AUDITOR'S BOOKS.

Them in Proper Condition.

The Finance Committee of the Council discussed the condition of the Auditor's books yesterday and agreed that "something must be done."

The absence of Auditor Teale, and the unusual rush of work in the office durings the past several months has produced a condition of affairs that only the work of several additional clerks can remedy. The committee yesterday prepared the following recommendation to the Council regarding the matter:

"Recommend that the Finance Committee be empowered to employ clerical help to place the books in the Auditor's office in proper condition by the first of January, 1897, the expense of the same to be deducted from the Auditor's December salary."

Other recommendations were as follows:

"Recommend that the report of the ty Auditor on the condition of the

"Recommend that the report of the City Auditor on the condition of the funds for the week ending December 5, 1896, and November 30, 1896, be filed. "Recommend that the demand of D. W. Aaron for \$1745 be referred to the Public Market Committee.

"In the matter of petition from William C. Harrison, asking a return to him of the sum of \$16.90 on account of taxes paid on improvements on lots 15, block B and lot 21, block C., South Bonnie Brae tract, for the year 1896-97, when no such improvements existed at the time of making the assessment, the City Assessor having reported to this committee that the statements contained in said petition are correct, we recommend that the petition be granted, and that upon the filing of a proper demand drawn upon the tax fund of 1896-97 the sum of \$16.90 be returned to the petitioner, "In the matter of petition from A."

A quorum of the City Council spent

There were twelve precincts in which no affidavit was made on the returns, were five precincts, the election officers of which neglected to attach their signatures to the returns sent in by them, these being Nos. 3, 4, 12, 16 and

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the matter:
"Recommend that the Finance Com-

B. White, asking a return to him of the sum of \$1.62 on account of taxes paid on personal property for the year 1896-97, as shown by assessment No. 500 W, when no such property ex-isted at the time of making the assess-ELECTION RETURNS.

isted at the time of making the assessment, the City Assessor having reported to this committee that the statements contained in said petition are correct, we recommend that the same be granted and that upon the filing of a proper demand drawn upon the tax fund of 1896-97 the sum of \$1.62 be returned to the petitioner.

"In the matter of petition from A. Elliott, asking a return of the sum of

Elliott, asking a return of the sum of \$11.70 on account of taxes paid on improvements on iots 10 and 11, block 16, A quorum of the City Council spent about five hours yesterday in the work of canvassing the returns of the reent city election. The task could not be finished or the complete table of official figures given out, because of the irregularities which a number of election officers had perpetrated in preand that upon the filing of a proper demand drawn upon the tax fund of 1896-97 the sum of \$11.70 be returned to the petitioner."

Street Lamps Wanted.

F. L. Lee and other residents of that portion of Vernon recently annexed to the city have petitioned the Council requesting that a sufficient amount of the moneys acquired by the city from the Vernon road district fund, he sai aside and appropriated for lighting the streets of the district, the lights to be placed at the following points: Central avenue and Bast Jefferson street; Central and Vernon avenue; Central avenue opposite Central Park; Central avenue and White street; Vernon and Compton avenue; Vernon and Wilmington avenue. The petitioners ask that immediate action be taken in the matter, and that the parties hold-ing the contract to furnish lights to the city be at once directed to place the poles and provide the lights at the street intersections before specified.

THE COURT HOUSE,

MONEY FOR CREDITORS.

AFFAIRS OF THE CITY BANK TO

An Order of Judge Shaw Allowing Seven-Per-Cent. Dividend-Inte esting Evidence in the Willard

On the application of Receiver Wash-burn of the defunct City Bank, Judge Shaw yesterday made the following or-der in the case of Margaret Miller

against the bank:

"It appearing to the satisfaction of the court from the statement of the receiver, that there is now in the hands of the receiver in the above-entitled action a sufficient sum of money to pay a dividend of 7 per cent. on all claims presented and allowed against the said City Bank, it is therefore ordered that the receiver on and after the twenty-second day of December, 1896, pay a dividend of 7 per cent. on all claims allowed in said action, on the presentation of certificates here.

THE CASE SUBMITTED. The Domestic Troubles of the Wil-

liards Fully Aired. A sigh of relief was given by the feminine portion of the crowd of spec-tators in Judge McKinley's court late yesterday afternoon when the last tes-timony was heard in the divorce case of Mrs. Ellen Willard against her husband, Frank A. Willard, Justice of the

Peace of Ballona Township.

The chief attraction in the case vesterday was Mrs. Nita Willard, the fasterday was Mrs. Nita Willard, the fas-cinating young woman who was ar-rested and convicted in connection with the "Beauty Wonder" case in the Federal Court a year ago. Mrs. Wil-lard was put on the stand in an en-deavor to knock the props. from under the testimony of her sister-in-law, the plaintiff, to the effect that Willard had been of a cruel disposition toward his wife. While giving her testimony, the young woman assumed rather dramatic poses that were calculated to arouse

wife. While giving her testimony, the young woman assumed rather dramatic poses that were calculated to arouse considerable interest among the spectators. Her sister, Mrs. Hamlin, was also called in behalf of the defense, and she created nearly as much interest as did the "Beauty Wonder." Their evidence went to show that Willard was not a brute, yet it in no wise lauded him as an angel.

Other witnesses were called, smong them being Mrs. Kingsberry, Mrs. A. P. Willard, mother of the defendant in the case, and Frank A. Willard himself. Willard of course denied the allegations of his wife and asserted that she had a temper that was oftener out legations of his wife and asserted that she had a temper that was oftener out of whack than otherwise, and that she would frequently and without provo-cation, chastise the children. The testimony was closed at 5 o'clock, and the case was submitted on briefs.

FOR EMBEZZLEMENT.

Warrant Issued for the Treasurer of the Order of Druids.

A warrant was sworn out in Justice Young's court yesterday for the ar-rest of B. Pellegrini on a charge of

embezzlement.
Pellegrini is, or was, the treasurer of the Ancient Order of Druids, and as such officer was entrusted with the safe-keeping of the funds of the

It is alleged that he embeszled the sum of \$115.46, the amount in the treas The missing officer is said to be in Stockton, and an endeavor will be made to bring him back.

for \$1500 Damages. John Stewart has brought suit against Mrs. Louise Naud for \$1515 damages for having "unlawfully sold, converted and disposed of certain nousehold furniture and furnishings, etc., to her own use to the loss and atomage of the plaintiff in the sum of \$1500." The additional \$15 asked is for money spent in the pursuit and attempted recovery of the goods. Stewart alleges he simply delivered the goods to Mrs. Naud for safekeeping and that she disposed of them.

MORE SUITS FILED.

Land Purchasers Want Their Money from the Railroad.
The Southern Pacific Railroad will

W. Foindexter. He seeks to recover the sum of \$1822.53 with interest and

the sum of \$1822.53 with interest and costs of suit on an assigned claim of E. L. Mayberry. The land purchased is described as the northeast quarter of section 19, township 3 north, range 14 west, containing 160.

The second suit was that of Henry Elras, who seeks to recover \$710, with interest and costs, for failure to secure a patent to 160 acres described as follows: Southeast quarter of section 33, township 2 north, range 12 west. Still another suit was flied, the plaintiff being the Farming and Fruit Land Company. Judgment was asked for \$2277.06, principal and interest on purchase price of fractional southwest quarter of section 21, township 9 north, range 16 west.

DAY OF DIVORCES.

Three Decrees Granted and Two Judge Clark yesterday granted Her-

Tudge Clark yesterday granted Her-man Connor a divorce from Emma Connor on the grounds of desertion. The custody of the child was given the mother by consent of the father. Mrs. Lillie Longstreet was given a by Judge Shaw against Longstreet. He was charged with de-serting his wife, and the case went by

Mrs. Sarah J. Layton was the next Mrs. Sarah J. Layton was the nex fortunate applicant for a decree sever ing the bonds of matrimony existing between herself and J. W. Layton. The defendant was charged with desertion and as he failed to show up to figh the case, it is supposed he was equally joyful. Judge Shaw granted the di vorce.

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The divorce case of Rosa Branch against John Branch, charged with failure to provide, was tried and submitted in Judge York's court.

Similar action was taken by Judge McKinley in the case of Ellen Willard against Frank Willard, the Ballona Justice charged with cruelty toward bits wife.

LYTLE CREEK CASE. Judge McKinley Files His Opinion

in the Important Suit. One of the most carefully-prepared and one of the most interesting opinone ever handed down by the Superior lons ever nanged down by the Superior Court of this county was filed yester-day by Judge McKinley in the case of the Lytle Creek Water and Improve-ment Company vs. the Grapeland Irri-gation District and others. The mem-

gation District and others. The memorandum apportioning the water rights of the contestants was made several days ago, but the opinion was not completed until yesterday.

The court states that he cannot discuss at length the questions involved. Continuing he says that the plaintiff claims that it is the owner of all the water of Lytle Creek, by virtue of several titles, and that the irrigation district claims it has by its tunnel tapped an underflow of water, which never forms part of the surface stream, to which it is entitled, and that it is the owner by appropriation of the surplus water of Lytle Creek in wet, and rainy seasons.

The court says that as the rights of the cañon claimants are dependant upon the determination of the rights of other parties, he will first consider the claims of those below the mouth of the cañon, and then follows a discussion of those claims.

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He says that the plaintiff is the undisputed owner of ninety-two inches of water under the Lord right, the only question being as to the amount which must be taken at the mouth of the cañon to supply ninety-two inches at the Lord gate, and holds that 125 inches at the mouth of the cañon is necessary and plaintiff is therefore entitled to the first 125 inches of the flow of Lytle Creek at the intake of the cement ditch.

The court holds that the evidence

shows that the waters of Lytle Creek during the ordinary irrigation season do not, and would not if undiverted, flow through the San Bernardino rancho, and that the Lytle Creek Water

rancho, and that the Lytle Creek Water Company has not acquired any riparian rights in the stream; that the evidence fully establishes a use by the Lytle Creek Water Company and its grantors during the period from 1879 to 1886, which had all the elements necessary to establish a title prescription, and bars plaintiff's cause of action against the defendant, except as to the riparian rights of plaintiff in the stream by reason of ownership by its grantors of land above the point of diversion through the old zanja. The second water right in the stream, amounting to twenty inches, taken at the intake of plaintiff, is determined to be vested in plaintiff.

Then follows in detail the apportion-

Supreme Court Decision in a San The Supreme Court has overruled the refusing to grant a transfer to the Lo Angeles county courts in the case of the Golden Cross Mining and Milling the Golden Cross Mining and Milling Company vs. James Spiers et al. The suit was brought to prevent the defendants as trustees from selling the mining property of the plaintiffs and for \$150,000 damages, which they claim they have sustained through the mismanagement of the mine by defendants.

A JUSTICE'S ERROR. How a Pasadena Justice Cinched a

Petty Thief.

Justice Rossiter of Pasadena hereafter sentence no person convicted of petty larceny to more than six months' imprisonment on one charge. Just six months ago he found Movales Samorano guilty of larceny and Samorano guilty of larceny and or-dered him committed to jail for 300 days. The prisoner sawed wood and said nothing until six months of the term was up. He then got a lawyer and applied for a writ of habeas cor-pus on the ground that the Justice had no right to sentence the defendant to more than six months on the single

The matter has heard in Department One of the Superior Court yesterday and it took the Judge about two min-utes to grant the writ and discharge

the defendant from custody. LOWE LOSES.

A Rig Foreclosure Suit Decided by

The foreclosure suit of the State Loan and Trust Company against T. S. C. Lowe was decided by Judge Shaw yesterday morning.

Judgment was given for the plaintiff in the sum of \$30,000, involving notes and mortgages on land in Pasadena, as prayed for in the complaint. L. R. Garrett was appointed com-missioner with bonds fixed at \$5000.

"FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

discellaneous Driftwood Thrown APPRAISEMENT. J. F. Lawrence has petitioned the Superior Court to appraise the value of the homestead of Ethel M. Taylor, situated near Pomona, to satisfy a judgment and execution through a proper division of the preserty.

the property. TO QUIET TITLE. Cyrus C. Case et al., have commenced suit against Manuel Cota et al., to quiet title to lots near Twelfth and San Julian streyts.

George Roughton filed a similar suit against Ann Daniels, executrix, in-volving lots 6 and 7, block 8, town of Duarte.

PROBATE OF WILLS. George H. Bixby of Long Beach and B. P. Flint of San Francisco have petitioned for the probate of the will of Liwellyn Bixby, who died December 5 in this city, leaving valuable property in the partnership between himself and Dr. Thomas Flint of San Benito county. Helen Downey petitions for the probate of the will of Silas E. Downey, who died November 24, leaving property amounting to \$400 and naming petitioner as executrix.

UDELL INSANE. Warren Udell was yesterday ordered committed to the Insane Asylum at Highland. He is of a melancholy disposition, and not dan-gerous. Judge York signed the order of

WANTS HIS MONEY. W. Wincup, formerly manager of the Terminal Railway Company, has sued T. E. Gibbon, attorney for the road, and Earl Rogers, also an attorney, for \$270, to satisfy a promissory note.

JUDGMENT FOR PLAINTIFF. Judge York yesterday gave a decision in favor of the plaintiff in the foreclosure case of J. Saenz vs. J. N. Favias et al.

TO SELL PROPERTY. The Methodist Church of San Fernando (incorporated,) has filed a petition to sell lots 1 and 2, block 14, in the town of San Fernando. TRUSTEE APPOINTMENT. Sarah TRUSTEE APPOINTMENT. Sarah R. Burbridge of Philadelphia, as ben-eficiary, has petitioned the Superior Court to accept the resignation of Chester P. Dorland and appoint W. R. Staats of Pasadena as trustee of the certain trust deed whereby Paul H. Lemmert and Pauline H. Lemmert of

Los Angeles, are trustees. FORECLOSURE. J. D. Monroe has brought a suit against W. H. Neiswender, administrator of the estate of E. F. Drew. deceased, G. E. Blair and M. A. Newkirk to foreclose on lot C, block 15, town of Garvanza, to satisfy a mortgage of \$250. John Verhoen has filed a suit against John Roller to foreclose on lots 4 and 49. Goldsworthy Eighth-street tract, to satisfy a mortgage for \$1500.

Is superior to all plated ware and costs less. We have a large line of spoons, forks, butter knives, sugar shells, tea sets, plain and engraved, salt and pepper sets, napkin rings and hundreds of other articles. Call and get prices. Pittsburgh Aluminum Company, No. 215 W. Third street.

KIEFER & CO., Proprietor Pacific Wine Company, established 1873, have removed to No. 114 West Third street, between Spring and Main, wines and liquors, wholesale and family trade only.

QUICKEST TIME TO RANDSBURG Is via new stage road from Mojave. Supper in Los Angeles, breakfast in Randsburg. Leave Southern Pacific Company's Arcade Depot 9 pm., arrive Randsburg 7 a.m. Fare Los An-geles to Mojave, \$2.75; Mojave to Randsburg.

Sr. 50 Gold Fees for Sr.

A. E. Marcher, No. 313 South Spring. On third off on everything, make or loss.

CHOICE, cheap, fertile truit lands for sal in the Lake View Colony, Riverside county abundantly watered; healthy climats. Goo opening for store and blacksmith shop. Ad dress J. A. Fitch, Lake View, Cal. OSTRICH FARM, South Passades tips and capes at producer's prices.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Dec. 12, 1896. BANK CLEARINGS. The business of the Los Angeles Clearinghouse for the week ending today at noon was: Ex-changes, \$1,425,554.01; balances, \$291,-540.60, as against \$1,629,573.50 and \$346,-686.56 for the corresponding week of

DRIVING OFF INVESTORS. When it was recently announced that a South African syndicate, which was negotiating for the purchase of the Los Angeles street railway systems, had decided not to take up the option, the reason given for the refusal was that the capitalists had found that it would be necessary to expend something like \$100,000 tetore the system could be placed on a solid and paying basis. It was considered remarkable at the time that a wealthy syndicate should be deterred from making a good investment by such a cause as this, and many believed that this was not the true reason for their withdrawal.

The Times is now able to affirm, on the, best authority, that the reason given by these men for not purchasing the street railroad system was merely an excuse. The true reason was that, after careful investigation of the conditions which prevailed here, extending over a considerable period, these capitalists came to the conclusion that the City Council of Los Angeles had been too ready to grant franchises to companies or individuals who desired to parallel existing street railway systems, or who at least desired to obtain franchises permitting them to do so. There have been several flagrant cases of this description in Los Angeles during the past half-dozen years. Competition is a good thing, but there is a difference between competition and blackmailing, and when a franchise is ted for a street-car line to run for ong distance within a block or two mother street-car-line which scarcely pays expenses, it is simply blackmail-ing on a large scale, for the purpose of forcing a consolidation or of getting bought off. The same thing is some-times done in other enterprises be-sides street-car lines, such, for in-stance, as paper schemes for the sup-ply of water, as electricity telephon ply of water, gas, electricity, telephone

It cannot be denied that Los Anreles City Councils in the past have on several occasions "stood in" with such attempts at highway robbery, and the bad result is now seen in the action of these African capitalists. who were ready to invest in this city over \$3,000,000, a considerable portion of which would have remained in Los of which would have remained in Los Angeles. It may fairly be expected that the recently-elected Councill will act differently in such matters, and that the reputation of Los Angeles, which has suffered a severe blow in this respect, will be restored among outside investors, who keep a very close watch over the action of cities that are in the habit of issuing bonds for public or private improvements. Another thing that will tend to make such action improbable or impossible in the future is a provision in the new charter which is aimed at just such schemes as these.

THE ORANGE MARKET. Under date of December 5, Westfall Bros. & Co. of New York write The Times as

"Oranges this past week, with lighter oranges this past week, with lighter receipts, have shown no improvement in price. From all accounts Jamaica has a liberal quantity to ship yet. Two thousand six hundred and fifty-three boxes of repack, Florida style, sold yesterday (December 4) as follows:

lows: \$2.30
126 sizes ... \$2.30
126 sizes ... 2.40
150 and 176 sizes ... 2.65 to \$2.75
250 sizes ... 2.50
"These prices will give our California friends an idea of the trade and condition of our market. These oranges are repacked here, fine flavor and sound. There has been a good many Florida oranges also here selling from

sound. There has been a good many Florida oranges also here selling from \$3.50 to \$4.25. The receipts of Floridas so far this season has been 50 to 75 per cent more than last year. We see a good many commission men receiv-ing car lots this year, while last year these men did not receive a box. "Shipments of Valencia oranges are

commencing in liberal proportion, one cargo has already left and is due here about the 15th, with 16,000 cases, or equal to 32,000 boxes. Other smaller shipments of 1000 to 2500 cases are also en route via Liverpool. Sales this week were: Regular 420 size, \$3.62½; 714 size, \$4.12½; these prices are about cost to importers. cost to importers.
"Several cars of California navel oranges have arrived this week, and

have met with a cool reception from the trade on account of being too sour and green. A car of Porterville navels was offered at auction this week. They sold seven boxes, 96 size, at \$2.65, and withdrew the balance. These oranges were sold at \$3.25 f.o.b. Porterville. The growers and shippers should hold their fruit back until it is fit to eat. But as long as the dealers will pay more for a limited. vine. The growers and snippers should hold their fruit back until it is fit to eat. But as long as the dealers will pay more for a limited quantity of green oranges than they will for ripe case leter we don't suppose any one ones later, we don't suppose any one can blame the shippers.
"Redlands navels jobbing at \$3.50 to

44 and going very slowly.

"Sielly oranges this week sold for \$1.40 to \$1.80 per box, and this is all they are worth, or any other green

orange.
"There is in transit 38,800 boxes
against 12,400 last year at this date.
"Lemons are also lower. A sale of
17,000 boxes December 4 only averaged
about \$1.75 per box for the entire
cargo, making a heavy loss to the importers."

SHIPMENTS MAY STOP. The New York Tribune prints a special from Boston stating that a private cable dispatch received by a prominent fruit importer of the latter city from Sicily says the work of packing fruit for shipment to America has been suspended. The reason assigned is that the low prices received for the fruit in this country have entailed heavy losses on shippers.

WHEAT FOR FRANCE. The Times

WHEAT FOR FRANCE. The Times this morning printed a special dispatch from New York respecting a report current on the Produce Exchange of that city that a cargo of wheat had been taken for France. Judging by reports lately received, it is more than likely that France will require not only one, but many cargoes of wheat before having sufficient to provide for future wants. The sale of a cargo of wheat for France at Baltimore was reported last week. Chicago advices are to the effect that France will require not less than 28,000,000 bushels of foreign wheat before the end of the year. Commenting on the situation, the Chicago Inter Ocean says:
"South Africa has purchased several cargoes on the Pacific, and Australia has 3,500,000 bushels yet to buy to make up the deficiency in its crop. The news from Argentine is more bullish than at any-time. Their crop will not be larger than last year, and the exportable surplus will not exceed 6,000,000 bushels, according to the latest figures. This removes that country as a competitor for the next twelve months, as the small surplus there will be readily taken by the consuming countries. Russian shipments are expected to fall off, and the Danublan countries have disposed of a large part of their surplus. As America supplies the United Kingdom for twenty-eight weeks of the year, all the indications

point to requirements from this country being increased rather than decreased, which will reduce our surplus to a lower point than has ever been known. How low it will be reduced is a mere conjecture, and will depend entirely upon the price."

Without being over-optimistic, it looks a safe proposition to state that wheat will go considerably higher, than it is even at the present time, before it takes a move in the contrary direction.

ADVANTAGES OF LOS ANGELES

In its issue of yesterday the Los Angeles Commercial Bulletin has an article calling attention to the many and great

calling attention to the many and great advantages Los Angeles has over Puget Sound points, both as regards import and export facilities, yet, it adds: "Puget Sound ports are doing a great export business, and Los Angeles is doing very little."

It then quotes from the West Coast Trade to show the business that is being done at Tacoma with foreign ports, the imports at that port for the fiscal year ended June 30, being reported at \$21,763 packages, with a value of \$4.738,928. Commenting on these facts the Commercial Bulletin says: "From Los Angeles to New Orleans is fully 1500 miles, if not nearer 2000 miles shorter than from Tacoma to New York. It is no further from Shanghai or Yokohama to Los Angeles than to Tacoma. Here is the shortest haul across the continent north of Mexico, and through here ought to go nearly all the trade of the United States with the Orient."

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It further points out that the cotton from Texas for Japan had to be hauled all the way to Tacoma to get it on board the steamer; that is to say, about twice the distance it would have been necessary to haul it if shipped from Los Angeles, and concludes its very practical and pertinent article saying: "Let us get our deep-sea harbor and the people of all parts of the United States will reap a great benefit in the shortest haul across the continent. in the equibility of our climate, which enables us to do business uninterrupted by floods, snows or freeze-ups, in the calmest seas ships ever salled, and in the shortest haul across the Pacific."

ELECTRIC INDUSTRY. William Baxter, Jr., writing in Cassier's Magazine, places the total capital invested in the electric lighting industry of the United States at over \$500,000,000. This does not include the control of the control oes not include the amount invested n electric railways and electric power. He figures out the grand total of capital invested in these different branches at not less than \$1,500,000,000. He then

at not less that: says, in detail: "The number of plants, public and "The number ten thousand. The number of motors in use is estimated at at about \$100,000,000. The electric apparatus used in mining is estimated at \$100,000,000, and the value of the electric elevator industry will probably not fall short of \$15,000,000. The most important of all the electrical industries, however, is that of electric railways. In this field the investment is very great, and in the United States is represented by a capitalization of over \$700,000,000. The numbr of trolley cars in use is said to be over twenty-five thousand, and these run on over twelve thousand, and these run on over twelve thousand miles of track. The electric railways represent more than 90 per cent. of all the street and suburban railroads of the country. The aggregate of all the capital invested in electric lighting, electric railways and electric power is about \$1,500,000,000, and this does not include the value of the establishments that manufacture the machinery and apparatus. As many of these are among the largest est idustrial enterprises in the world, and as nearly all are concerns of considerable magnitude. It is very evident that their combined capital will run up into large figures. Inasmuch as the electric light and power industry represents an investment of about \$1,500,000,000, without counting the value of the concerns that manufacture the machinery and supplies, it is evident that to estimate the total investment in every deparment of the electrical industry at \$2,000,000,000, in the United States alone, is not extravagant, for this would allow only \$500,000,000 to cover the value of the telegraph, the telephone and the almost unlimited number of electrical manufactories, large and small, that can be found from one end of the land to the other." paratus used in mining is estimated at \$100,000,000, and the value of the electric

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12, 1896.
Black and Tokay grapes are higher. Kip
and calf hides are lower. Hay, grain and mill-stuffs are unchanged. Poultry steady. Eggs.

Eggs-California ranch, 24@25; extra choice, 26; eastern, 21@22.

Fresh Meats. Butchers' prices for wholesale carcases: Beef—Prime, 5@5½@5%.

Mutton-41/205; lambs, 506. Dressed Hogs-51/206. Provisions.

Provisions.

Hams—Per lb., Rex. 12; picnic, 5½; boneless, 7½; boneless butts, 6½; selected "mild cure," 10½; selected boiled Rex. 13½; skinned, 11.

Dry Salted Pork—Per lb., clear bellies, 7; short clears, 6½; clear backs, 5½.

Dried Beef—Sets, 10½; insides and knuckles, 12½; outsides, 8.

Pickled Pork—Per half bbl., 80 lbs., 5.00.

Rex breakfast bacon, 10½; Diamond C, special fancy wrapped, 12½; Diamond C, plain wrapped, 11½; Diamond C, Dreakfast backs, 7; medium, 6½; bacon bellies, wide pieces.—Lard—Rex. Pure Leaf, tierces, 6; kettle rendered, 6; Ivory lard compound, 5½; Rexolene, 5½; White Label lard, tierces, 5½. Hay and Grain.

Wheat—1.50@1.60.
Oats—1.10@1.25.
Barley—Seed, 85; imported, 90.
Corn—1.00; cracked, 1.00.
Feed Meal—Per ctl., 1.05.
Hay—New stock; Good oat, 10.00; best oat, 10.00@11.00; alfalfa, native, baled, 10.00; loose, 9.00@11.00; barley, 9.00@11.00; wheat, 10.00@1.00; barley, 9.00@11.00; wheat, 10.00@11.00; wheat,

Beans—Lady Washington, 1.70@1.80; navy, 1.80@2.00; pinks, 1.60@1.75; Limas, 2.50@2.75; black-eyed, 1.50@2.00; peas, 2.50@3.00.

Flour.

Flour—Los Angeles XXXX flour, 5.20 per bbl.; Capitol, 5.20; northern, 5.35; full super-fine, 4.50; eastern, 6.25; Washington, 3.75; gra-ham, 2.50. Rolled Oats—Per bbl., 4.75@5.00. Cracked Wheat—3.00. Cornmeal—1.60.

Green Fruits. Green Fruits.

Lemons-Extra fancy Eureka and Lisbon, 50@2.00; uncured fancy, 1.00; limes, 50.

Pears-Winter Nellis, 1.50.

Apples-Per box, 1.25; fancy, 1.50@1.75.

Bananas-2.00@2.50.

Strawberries-10.

Grapes-Black, 1.50@1.75; white, 1.35; To-tay, 1.50. Kay, 1.50. Cranberries—8.50@9.00.

Butter—Local creamery, 450474; fancy Coast, 45: dairy, 2:th squares, 40; light-weight squares, 35,9374; fair to good, 35,935; creamery, in tubs, 25,921.

Bran—Per ton, local, 18,00; northern, 18,00. Shorts—Per ton, 20,00.
Rolled Brig—Per ton, 17,00.

Dried Fruits. Butter.

Apples—Evaporated, 6½08.
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Apricots—96/12.
Peaches—Per lb., 86/10.
Prunes—Per lb., 5½08.
Raisins—Per lb., 6½08.
Dates—Per lb., 6½08.

Poultry.

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Hens-3.50@4.25: young rosters, 3.25@4.00; old roosters, 3.20; broilers, 2.50@3.00; ducks, 4.50@5.00.

Turkeys-Live, 13@14,

Live Stock,

Hogs-Per cwt. 3.374@3.50.
Beef Cattle-2.50@3.00.

Lambs-Per head, 1.50@1.75.

Sheep-Per cwt., 1.75@2.50. Vegetables.

Chiles—Dry, per string, 65075; Mexican, per lb., 15; green, 4.
Garilc—34.
Onions—Yellow, 1.0001.25.
Potatoes—Per 100 lbs., River Burbanks, 7508 is per sack, sweet, 7501.00; northern, 9001.00; Early Rose, 9001.00; Salinas, 9001.05.
Turnips—Per sack, 75.
Tomatoes—65.
Radishes—15.
Rhubarb—90.
Egg Plant—1.00.
Lettuce—15.
Celery—60.
Hides and Wool.

Hides-As they run, 11; kip, 9; calf, 14%; wool-21/2011/2. Tallow-11/2021/2.

Honey-Extracted, new, 506; white, 51406. Beeswax-Per lb., 20@22.

NEW YORK MARKETS. Shares and Money.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Today's stock market was phenomenally dull. Some hesitancy was discernable even on the part of the professional dealers and values sagged slightly on very moderate pressure. The arbitrage operations were restricted to a few hundred shares. The limited dealings were confined to the active list, and the fluctuations lacked importance. At the low point supporting orders and coverings influenced a general recovery, in which the specialties were the most prominent. The closing was firm at slight net changes, either way. Railway bonds were quiet, but firm. The sales were \$752,000. The more important advances ranged from 1½ to 4 per cent. The market of the week has at frequent intervals been characterized by spells of dullness, taxing the power of description. The disposition of important interests toward a temporary policy of inaction has been more clearly manifested, as the week progressed, but while prices have moved irregularly within a narrow range, any serious break has been averted through the extreme ease in money. Investors, believing in an eventual decided clearing (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) while prices have moved irregularly within a narrow range, any serious break has been averted through the extreme ease in money. Investors, believing in an eventual decided clearing up of the general business and financial outlook, have displayed an increasing interest in the railway bond market, but the heavy speculators and their following are waiting until a more definite understanding has been shown as to the possibilities of action at Washington on the Cuban question, the indebtedness of the Pacific railroads to the government and other important topics. Discussion of the tariff probabilities and intimations of aggressive steps regarding the so-called trust tends to check activity in general trade, as well as in Wall street. At the same time the plethora of loanable funds for the favorable cotton and winter wheat crops, estimates and expectations of more encouraging comparisons in railway traffic returns before many weeks, account for the lack of pressure of long stocks in the face of bear raids. The result of this condition has been a sluggish market, relieved at times by spasmodic bursts of comparative activity, due to drives at the high-priced stocks and specialties and subsequent covering purchases. London operators were moderate in extent, on both sides of the market with a slight preponderance in selling orders. There has been no abatement, however, of the foreign demand for investment bonds. Steadiness ruled in the final dealings, due almost entirely to the covering of shorts. The net changes were declines of 1@2 per cent. in the principal shares. The aggregate sales were 733,957 shares. The bond market with a slight preponderance in selling orders. The seles were \$210,000. Silver certificates were \$210,000. Silver certificates were strong on moderate purchases, chiefly by investment interests. The sales were \$210,000. Silver certificates were regiected, but ruled slightly higher on sales of \$55,000.

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Lead Trust ... 24½
Louis. & Nash. 49%

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Mo. Pacific . 21
Mobile & Chio. 22
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Nat'l Cord. . 55%
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North Pac . 13%
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New York Money.

NEW YORK. Dec. 12.—Money on call, easy, at 1½ 2 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 4@6 per cent.; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills, 4.86½@4.86% for demand, and 4.83½@4.83% for sixty days; posted rates, 4.84½@4.87½; commercial bills, 4.82½; silver certificates, closed 65%@65%.

London Financial Market.

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London Financial Market.

NEW YORK. Dec. 12.—The Evening Post's London financial cablegram says the stock market today, except for Americans, shows a further distinct improvement. Consols were 112 for the account. The recovery in mines was mainly due to covering by bears, but the rise in other stocks represents genuine buying. Well-informed people are still disinclined to look for gold shipments from the United States just yet.

LIVERPOOL Dec. 12.—Spot wheat closed firm with a poor demand; No. 2 red spring, 68 8½d; No. 1 California, 7a dhigher and other months ½d higher; business about equally distributed. February, 68 8½d; March, 68 9d; April, 68

of American money is in this market at present.

Associated Banks.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The Financier say the surplus reserve of the New York clearinghouse banks, after having increased from \$8,828,550 on September 5 last to \$32,464,400 December 5, shows signs of halting, the decrease for the week ending December 12 being \$588,050. This contraction was brought about mainly through the enormous extension in loans. The increase in loans is the largest reported since election, and is in itself a striking evidence of the present workings of the low money market. On November 7 the total loans of the New York banks were \$442,179,700. The total for the week just ended was \$483,503,500, showing an expansion of \$41,323,800 in about one month. The growth for the past week was almost 30 per cent. of the whole. But it is probably true that part of this unparalleled increase comes from sources other than those arising from commercial demands. The sterling exchange operations, by which local capital is being used abroad, figure in the loan column, although it would be late to dispute the fact that the needs of trade have aided in bringing about-he unprecedented upward movement, which seemingly has not yet culminated. The peculiar position which the New York banks occupy today toward foreign commercial centers is illustrated in this statement. The crop movement having virtually closed, money is flowing into the New York banks faster than it can be used, and the result is a remarkably busy market. How much money we received from abroad during the late season of stringency cannot be estimated with accuracy, but our enormous exports have made foreign nations debtor to the United States and instead of getting their money back in the form of balances, they are compelled to borrow on this side to relieve stringent conditions there. This has never happened before.

Weekly Bank Statement. Associated Banks.

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Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The weekly bank statement shows: Reserve, decrease, \$585,050; loans, increase, \$11,61,700; specie, increase, \$71,200; legal tenders, increase, \$15,659,000; circulation, decrease, \$156,400; deposits, \$14,559,000. The banks hold \$31,600,350 in excess of requirements.

Exports and Imports.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The exports of specie for the week amounted to \$5,39 in gold and \$897.273 in silver; imports were: Gold, \$34,524; silver, \$23,728; dry goods, \$1,668,669; general merchandise, \$6,248,743.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash baiance, \$226,031,007; gold reserve, \$133,220,276.

Boston Stock Market.

BOSTON, Dec. 12.—Atchison, 14; Bel Telephone, 2094; Burlington, 77% Mexican Central, 7½; San Diego, —. London Silver.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Silver, 30d.; con-GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

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Grain and Produce.

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CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—In wheat, Liverpool again supplied the motive power which set the market moving. The public cablegram reported the market over there at \(\frac{1}{2} \) d. advance. The market here started strong on that information and except for a little hesitation following the opening advices, it ruled strong throughout the session. Northwest receipts, though small compared with last year's figures, were uncomfortably large in view of the repeated reports that a good share of the crop had already been moved. Argentine prospects were gloomy as ever, according to the cablegrams, and the shipments from that country apparently bore it out, only 24,000 bushels being shipped to the continent from Argentine and not a bushel to the United Kingdom. The exports from both coasts for the week were heavy-4,222,000 bushels in wheat and flour-said to be the largest known for many years. This was encouraging to holders, as at this rate our surplus would be practically exhausted before April and several months of scarcity would follow. Armours delivered out from 500,000 to 600,000 bushels of wheat on December contracts, but the market absorbed it all readily. Corn got no benefit from the rise in wheat, except for a few minutes at the start. The amount of business done in the pit but alltogether would not have made a busy day for one commission house, and this fact was the chief source of weakness. Quite a good business will be transacted in oats. The opening was rather nervous, under conflicting in fluences of the liberal receipts and a good cash market. Shorts took advantage of the situation and under liberal offerings, the market declined, but railled under a good demand white file produces the succept for each of the produces of them, they have for the last two years instructed in small quarters of three rooms in the produce of the produces of the liberal receipts and a good cash market. Shorts took advantage of the situation and under liberal offerings, the market declin

May 25%
Oats, No. 2—
December 17
May 20½
Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 76% 677½; No. 3 spring wheat, 76% 677½; No. 2 white, 17%, No. 2 harley, nominal; No. 3, 25% of the control of the control

tillers' finished goods, per gal., 1.18.

Grain Bovements.

Receipts. Shipments.
Flour, barrels 4,000 4,000
Wheat, bushels 27,000 129,000
Corn, 123,000 54,000
Oats, 414,000 194,000
Rye, 110,000
Barley, 67,000 147,000
On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 15@23; dalry, 10@19. Eggs were weak; fresh, 16.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—In the cattle market the week closes rather unsatisfactory, receipts having exceeded the demand all week. Today's market was largely nominal, the few receipts being disposed of at prices unchanged from yesterday's quotations. Hogs sold at 3.00@3.45, largely at 3.20@3.35, with a great many at 3.10@3.15. Sheep—There were not enough sheep to make a market, and prices were little more than nominal at 2.00@2.50 for the poorest sheep, up to 3.25@3.60 for good to prime flocks. Lambs sell at 2.50@5.10, and occasionally a fancy flock brings 5.25.

Receipts—Cattle, 500; hogs, 15,000; sheep, 1000.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 12.—Cattle re-ceipts, 1000; shipments, 4100. The mar-ket was steady, with only retail trade.

Liverpool Grain.

ness about equally distributed. December, January and February, 2 3½d; March, April and May, 2s 9½d. Flour closed dull with a moderate demand; St. Louis fancy winter, 9s 3d.

London Hop Market.

LONDON, Dec. 12—Pacific Coast hops £3 10s. NEW YORK, Dec. 12. — Petroleum was dull. United closed, 1.00 bid; Pennsylvania crude was steady; January, 1.00 bid.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS

Grain and froduce Grain and Produce.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Flour—Family extras, 5.15@5.25; bakers' extras, 4.90@5.00; superfine, 4.25@4.50.

Wheat—No. 1 shipping, 1.50; choice, 1.51½; milling, 1.55@1.62½.

Barley—Feed, fair to good, 80@87½; choice, 83%_@9; brewing, 95@77½.

Oats—White, 1.10@1.20; black for feed, 95@1.05; black for seed, 1.20@1.35; red for seed, 1.00@1.10.

Middlings—Per ton, 18.50@21.00; California bran, 14.00@1.450; outside brands of bran. 1.00@1.10.
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Hay—Wheat, 8.00@10.50; wheat and cat, 7.00 @10.00; cat, 6.00@8.00; river barley, 5.00@6.50; lest barley, 7.00@5.50; alfalfa, 6.00@7.00; clover, 6.00@5.50; estok, 5.00@6.50; compressed wheat, 6.00@5.50; compressed cat, 6.00@7.00; straw, 25@50 per bale.

Potatoes—Early Rose, 50@60; common Salinas Burbanks, 50@75; fancy, 85@1.00; river Burbanks, 30@40; sweet potatoes, 75@1.00 per cental.

linas Burbanks, 50675; fancy, 8561.00; rives Burbanks, 30640; sweet potatoes, 7561.00 per cental.

Various—Onions, 45650; tomatoes, 40660 per box; cream squash, 25; egg plant, 40650; green peppers, 40665 per box; dried peppers, 769 per b.; dried okrs, 8910 per lb.; mushrooms, 5615 per b.; graden green' peas, 4666; estern, 2.0063.25 per bol; cranberries, 769, 200; estern, 2.0063.25 per bol; cranberries, 366; common pears, 40665; Winter Nellis pears, 75691.00; perstimmons, 25660 per box; strawberries, 366; common pears, 40665; Winter Nellis pears, 75691.00; perstimmons, 25660 per box; strawberries, 366; common pears, 40665; Winter Nellis pears, 75691.00; perstimmons, 25660 per box; strawberries, 366; collifornia lemons, common, 1.006.25; fair to good, 1.5062.00; fancy, 2.5063.00.

Tropical fruits—Navel oranges, 2.5083.50; seedling oranges, 1.2561.75; Mexican limes, 4.006.26; fair to good, 1.5062.00; fancy, 2.5063.00.

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Tropical fruits—Hawailan bananas, 1.006.25; fair to good, 9610; Young America, 116912; castern, 116922; fancy dairy, 20621; good to choice, 1866.

Cheese-Fancy mild, new, 11612; fair to good, 9610; Young America, 116912; castern, 136914.

Eggs—Ranch, 28622; store eggs, 22626; eastern, 22627; duck eggs, 25.

Poultry—Live turkey gobblers, 126913; hen turkeys, 126915; old roosters, 4.00; young, 3.5064.00; large broilers, 3.0063.50; small, 2.562.50; fryers, 3.2563.50; hens, 3.5064.00; ducks, old, 3.5064.50; young, 4.0065.00; geese, 1.2560.00; widgeons, 1.50; small ducks, 1.0061.25; quali, 1.00; hare, 1.00; gray geese, 3.00; rabilist, 1.2561.50; white geese, 1.00; brant, 1.50; English snipe, 1.50; common snipe, 7561.00.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Wheat was firm; May, 1.57 bid. Barley, firm; May, 92% bid. Corn, yellow, large, 80 @85; California bran, 14.00@14.50.

Beans.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Beans—
Pink, 1.15@1.25; Lima, 1.90@2.00; small
white, 1.20@1.40; large white, 1.20@
1.30. Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Sliver bars, 65%; Mexican dollars, 51½@52; drafts, sight, 7½; drafts, telegraph, 12½. Receipts.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Flour, quarter sacks, 5668; Oregon, 16,899; Washington, 6517; wheat, centals, 43,825; Oregon, 2305; Washington, 5915; barley, centals, 11,895; oats, centals, 670; Washington, 14,638; potatoes, sacks, 3220; Oregon, 65; onions, sacks, 56; beans, sacks, 1006; bran, sacks, 2735; Oregon, 3200; middlings, sacks, 1205; hay, tons, 231; wool, bales, 45; Oregon, 136; hides, number, 430; raisins, boxes, 1425; quick-silver, flasks, 47; wine, gallons, 63,900.

But this should not induce some of them to resort to such underhand means as they have done to undermine their success. I have proof that one of the medical associations here tried to expel a member for assisting the

here tried to expel a member for assisting the English and German Expert Specialists in performing their many operations.

Some of the physicians occupying offices in this same building went so far as to threaten the landlord that if he rented to the English and German Expert Specialists they would, in a body, leave the building. Many of these ethical doctors have gone personally to the patients of the English and German Expert Specialists and tried to induce them to leave them and employ ethical men, slandering their ability. The public not knowing that these doctors are prejudiced because they cannot ability. The public not knowing that these doctors are prejudiced because they cannot compete with them in ability nor in equipments; for the English and German Expert Specialists today have more money invested in microscopes, electrical appliances, "X-rays," etc., than any other firms on the Coast. rays," etc., than any other firms on the Coast. But the public, so often prejudiced by these chical doctors, should not convict nor be prejudiced against these specialists until they see them for themselves. It will cost them nothing to consult with them, or to visit them and see whether they are surrounded by advantages which others have not. Therefore I, as a third party, would advise those especially who are afflicted to talk with these able experts before they denounce them, so as to judge for themselves whether or not it is to their advantage to employ them. I, myself, was not partial toward them, and tried several other physicians of the city who in severe terms denounced these able doctors as quacks; but every one failed in giving me, in return for the money paid them, any relief, quacks; but every one tailed in giving me, in return for the money paid them, any relief, until I consulted with the English and Ger-man Expert Specialists, and, although they did not promise me a positive cure, they suc-ceeded in three months' treatment in giving me what I had sought for so long in vain... A. DEFENDER.

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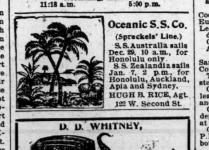
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PASADENA.

PREPARATIONS FOR THE ANNUAL.

Substantial Financial Support Will Be Needed to Make it a St

PASADENA, Dec. 12 .- (Regular Correspondence.) Arrangements are going actively forward for the eighth Tournament of Roses, January 1, which promises to eclipse all other displays of the sort, should the weather remain as favorable as at present for the production of the flowers necessary for the decoration of equipages. Prof. O. Stewart Taylor has a chorus in training for the event, and it is probable that its members will sing in costume, from a float. Prizes are being liberally offered, and the only drawmoney is coming into the treasury of the tournament. This annual festival over the United States, and in fact, over the entire world, and attracts to the city many people who become ac-quainted with its advantages and surothers return annually, the tournament being one of the features of their win-

penny-wise to cramp the association financially, and it is hoped that Pasadena society generally will inter-est itself in the tournament sufficiently est itself in the tournament sufficiently to aid in its success. Within a week \$700 has been raised here by two church fairs, and last winter the Land-marks Club realized a profit of \$300 from an afternoon entertainment given from an afternoon entertainment given by the society people. It is certain that should society and the citizens gener-ally take up the Tournament of Roses as an institution in which local pride is concerned, and which makes this a notable city, there would be no com-plaint of lack of funds to carry out the plans outlined.

It is regarded as short-sighted and

the plans outlined. The persons int persons interested in outdoor sports are making arrangements for games at the Crown City Cycle track, during the afternoon. The meet at the track on the afternoon of New Year's day promises to be a most intenrs may promises to be a most in-teresting event. There will be a mile and a half professional race, for which \$125 in prizes are offered, a mile open, mile novice, and mile handicap ama-teur races; two foot races, a bicycle stis in prizes are offered, a mile open mile novice, and mile handicap amateur races; two foot races, a bicycle race for boys under 12 years af age, and a novelty contest on old-style wheels. The Wheelwoman's Club is to be the guest of the Crown City Club, and the ladies of the C.C.C. are to comprise a reception committee, to receive visitors, and to arrange with the W.R.C. for a dinner for cyclers on that day. Committees have been appointed for the Tournament of Roses parade, from the Crown City Club, and committees have been appointed from that club to have in charge the separate features that have been planned for the entertainment at the park. The management of the tournament last year was in every way successful, and a small balance was left in the treasury. As the execution of the project is entrusted this year to the officers who so well performed their duties last year, and as they have had experience that fully qualifies them, they desire the active support and interest of every member of the Tournament Association, and every citizen of Pasadena.

PASADENA MEDICAL SOCIETY.

PASADENA MEDICAL SOCIETY. At a meeting of the Pasadena Medi-al Society Friday evening, Dr. Charles L. King read a most interesting pa per upon the use of hydropathy in medicine. Dr. King said that he did not desire to be considered a crank, or extremist, but from an experience or extremist, but from an experience of more than seven years, he was able on Friday evening decided that hence-to present a clea for hydropathy, and to state that its judiclous employment by competent persons, and with scientific precision will be followed by excellent results in the treatment of disclerence of the constitution and by-laws were adopted and the following efficers cellent results in the treatment of disclerence of the constitution and by-laws were adopted and the following efficers cellent results in the treatment of disclerence of the constitutions of the city of the cit tific precision will be followed by excellent results in the treatment of disease. High medical authorities were quoted by Dr. King as favoring the treatment, and new medical journals are being established in its interest. Many well-written articles are found in the old journals favoring it. The statement was also made that hydropathy was now found in the curriculum of many medical colleges. A prolonged discussion followed the paper, some of the physicians advocating the use of cold water, and others hot water. All agreed that the subject had been neglected, and deserved more attention than had been given to it. Among those present at the session were Drs. Briggs, Chapin, Givens, Hagadorn, Hull, Janes, Kearns, King, Laird, Page, Praeger, Royal, Rowland, Ting and Van Slyck. At the next meeting of the association Dr. Givens will read a paper on nervous diseases.

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Two hobos were on trial before Justice Merriam today and were sent down for ten days. A little later on two others of that ilk were brought before Recorder Rossiter, for violation of the State law against vagrants, and demanded a jury trial. They were accomplated, found guilty, and given respectively twenty and thirty days in the County Jail, as a warning to other hobos who call twelve men from their vocations to pass upon a plain case, The two hobos arrested by the city police have been given a dose of the stone-pile, and it is the only remedy for their disease.

Mrs. Mary Galmond, a colored wo-

for their disease.

Mrs. Mary Galmond, a colored woman, who has achieved some local fame as a prophetess of disaster to the world, was the victim of a runaway accident this morning, of which she had evidently received no prophetic warning. She was driving south on Los Robles avenue, when her horse took fright and ran away, overturely

on Los Robles avenue, when her horse took fright and ran away, overturning the buggy at the corner of Washington street and giving the occupant a severe fall. She was bruised about the head and face, but otherwise unhurt. Two horses, attached to a farm wagon loaded with hay, ran away down South Raymond avenue about noon today, and vehicles scattered in every, direction, recognizing that the team had undisputed right-of-way. A horse and buggy in front of the team kept ahead of the runaway for several blocks, and succeeded in escaping without injury.

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Rev. J. W. Hanson and wife of Chicago, accompanied by William Lefever, Mrs. John C. Coleman and the Misses Nellie and Mary Coleman, all of Milwaukee, left Chicago on Monday for Pasadena. Dr. Hanson's new book upon Southern California, "The American Italy," is in press, and will be out by the holidays.

The Pasadena Wheelwoman's Club made a run to Devil's Gate Friday afternoon by way of Lincoln avenue, starting from the corner of Colorado

street and Euclid avenue, with eleven members in line. The return was made by way of Fair Oaks avenue

Bruce Rowan, who has just recovered from the effects of a fall which broke his le; and arm, took a header from his wheel on Euclid avenue Friday night, as the result of contact with the old rails of the street-car track, and broke his arm again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jacobs, have just received a telegram announcing the birth of a son to their daughter, Mrs. T. A. Winter of Colville, Wash.

The Pasadena Juniors played the

The Pasadena Juniors played the Pasadena Victors this afternoon, ten innings, the score standing 13 to 11 in favor of the Victors.

The Woman's Guild of All Saints' Church is making preparations for its annual fair, which will open next Tuesday.

W. S. Fairman returned Friday night from a two months' trip to Honolulu.

Last week in our present location.— Before moving to the corner of Ray-mond and Colorado we will make a special drive on a line of holiday goods that cannot be surpassed in price or quality. Pasadena Drug Company. At Conservatory of Music Thursday evening, December 17, Miss L. M. Cummings of Boston will lecture on "Life in the Spirit World," followed by Mrs. Gould Rines of Chicago with psychometrical readings.

Have you money to loan in sums of \$500 to \$800 at 3 per cent. interest net, upon first-class mortgage securities? If \$0,000 James H. Adams Company & Phillips.

Do you realize that it is so near Christmas and that McCament is wait-in for your orders? Quimby & Beers are painting the Durand residence on Orange Grove ave-

Linings free with every dress pattern Christmas sale at Mrs. Farr's studio,

RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

AN ALLEGED PROFESSIONAL THIEF CAPTURED NEAR PERRIS.

Operator—Charge Against William Glenn Dismissed—Serious Injury from Runaway—A Broken Leg.

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 12.-(Regular Corspondence.) The San Bernardino ounty officers have for some days een following clews to the theft of been following clews to the theft of several sets of harness stolen on the road from Pomona to Rincon, and Friday night they arrested near Perris a man whose name is said to be Ott Taylor At the time of the arrest he was camping with his wife and children. It is claimed that Taylor makes a pracgathering in whatever comes handy. A parties of the harnesses stolen near Rincon was sold in this city for \$5, though they are estimated to be worth \$50. Several more sets of harness were found in Taylor's possession when ar-

The Taylor family has for some tim The Taylor family has for some time lived in Riverside, and a search warrant was taken out this afternoon to search the house they have occupied. A number of tools for which the officers have been searching were found. They were stolen three weeks ago from N. E. Bell.

GLENN DISMISSED.

The charge against William Glenn, ccused of rape, was dismissed this (Saturday) morning by Justice Cham-(Saturday) morning by Justice Cham-bers. The girl who preferred the charge against Glenn was shown to be over the age of consent and it appeared that the charge could not be main-tained. Young Glenn has stood well among the colored people of the city

CHARITY ORGANIZATIONS. The advisory council of the move-ment to bring about an association of the charitable institutions of the city elected: President, Rev. E. F. Goff. vice-president, Mrs. George H. Deere: treasurer, J. J. Hewett: Executive Committee, G. Rouse, Felix Lightnen and A. C. Christern: Membership and Funds Committee, Mrs. A. P. Johnson Mrs. Walter Koethen and Dr. V. W Stiles. There are forty-three member of the council. G. B. Ochiltree, Felix Lightner, J. J. Hewett and G. Rous were made members-at-large.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES. A horse belonging to August Blenert of Perris ran away at noon today (Saturday,) Mr. and Mrs. Blenert being thrown to the ground at the corner of Eighth and Market streets. The horse then ran into Bartee's stable, colliding with a horse belonging to J. S. Bordwell, the latter horse being quite seriously hurt. Mrs. Blengrt was quite badly injured by her fail and had to be carried away. The full extent of her frijury is not known.

The Fraternal Ald Association has

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The Fraternal Aid Association has elected the following officers: President, F. J. Conway; vice-president, Mrs. Cordie Simms; secretary, A. C. Frederick: chapiain, Mrs. Edith E. Conway; guide, Fred Copley; observer, Mrs. W. W. Bartee; sentinel, H. E. Branch; trustee, J. P. Baumgartner medical examiners, Dr. M. Maybee and Dr. W. W. Roblee. J. P. Baumgartner was chosen delegate to the State convention.

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Ramona Rebekah Lodge has elected officers as follows: Mrs. Fannie Miller, N. G.; Mrs. Sadie Sheffield, V. G.; Mrs. W. Boughn, P. S.; Mrs. Ida Sherman, F. S.; Mrs. Ella Seburn, treasurer; Mrs. Anna Vandebogart, trustee.

An Institute of Sociology has been organized in the city, with Rev. M. J. Fergusson as chairman and G. C. Havens as secretary. The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening, at the Christian Church.

The Riverside Water Company has completed a cement ditch down Van Buren street, which will furnish water to 150 acres never before set out, where oranges and alfalfa will at once be put in.

Judge Noyes has given C. Homber

Judge Noyes has given C. Homber undisputed possession of the Indian Queen mine, near Perris, with judg-ment against M. Quintana et al., who

The Boston and South Riverside Fruit Company has brought suit against Hetty J. Jameson to recover fourteen shares of Temescal Water Company stock.

A horse belonging to Carson Shoemaker ran away today and was quite badly cut. The buggy was badly wrecked.

A game of baseball is set for December 19, at the High School grounds, between a Redlands club and one from this city.

HIGHLAND ASYLUM PEOPLE WANT MORE BUILDINGS.

East Riverside Irrigation District Fell from a Wagon-Two Sheriffs Want Searcey-An Owl Exhibit. Hayda Society.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 12 .- (Reg ular Correspondence.) Plans are still coming in for the great castle at High-land. That magnificent structure, the land. That magnificent structure, the asylum, does not yet satisfy all requirements, and Architect T. H. Goff has prepared plans for additions, which are estimated to cost \$200,000. As Mr. Goff is also a member of the Legislature now, it is not improbable that he will make a fight for appropriations for the proposed additions, which are said to be necessary for the satisfactory conduct of the institution. The plans call for an administration building to cost \$100,000, a new ward building to cost \$100,000, a new ward building to cost \$100,000, a new ward build ing to cost \$88,000, and minor building

EAST RIVERSIDE DISTRICT. F. C. Finkle of this city, chief en gineer of the East Riverside Irrigation gineer of the East Riverside Irrigation District, says that an interview with some of the leading property-holders of that district, published in The Imes, did the district an injustice. He says that about 10 per cent. of the property-holders only are dissatisfied and whatever troubles the district has are due to them; that all the land in the district but about three hundred acres, including waste land and streets, will be subject to irrigation; that the district includes 3200 acres instead of 2300 acres; that the population of the district is over two hundred, and ample to fill all offices ten times over; that most of those whose property has been sold for delinquent taxes will redeem their land; that the \$175,000 of bonds went for a main pipe-line, costdeem their land; that the \$175,000 of bonds went for a main pipe-line, cost-ing \$100,000, extension of line costing \$20,000, lateral pipes costing \$15,000, ar-tesian wells costing \$10,000, and water land, flumes, ditches, pumping plant. office building, etc., costing \$30,000, all of which are fully worth the amount paid.

Mr. Finkle expresses fear that pr Mr. Finkle expresses fear that proposed litigation by a portion of the land-owners may prevent the sale of bonds already issued to complete the work of developing water. He says the lands without water are not worth more than \$10 an acre. With water they are worth from \$300 to \$1000. The cost of developing water will not exceed from \$60 to \$75 per acre.

This statement is in pointed conflict with that already published by The Times. The fact seems to be that a number of the property-holders either will not or cannot redeem their land without a contest in the courts.

HIP INJURED.

HIP INJURED. what may prove a serious accident in this city today (Saturday.) He was unthis city today (Saturday.) He was unloading honey in front of the store of
H. Boruck, from a wagon, when the
horse started suddenly. Mr. Parks was
thrown out of the wagon, his hip striking the curb. He was unable to stand
and was carried to the home of his
sister, Mrs. O. A. Byrne, in this city,
where his injuries were examiaed. It
is not believed that he has sustained
a fracture of any bone, though this
was not definitely determined.

SEARCEY BADLY WANTED.

SEARCEY BADLY WANTED. A telegram was received from G. C. A telegram was received from G. C. Ruffner of Yavapai county, Ariz., to-day, at the Sheriff's office, saying that if L. J. Searcey, the colored man arrested on the charg, of murdering Jeseph Falkin, was not held here to let Ruffner know, as he wanted the man on a charge of burglary committed in Phoenix.

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n Phoenix.
A dispatch has also been received from Sheriff Holcomb of this county, dated at Bagdad, saying that the chain of evidence against Searcey for murder is now completed. Just what the Sheriff has found is unknown here.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

The Haydn Choral Society has decided to give a public concert in the near future, to consist of a cantata and two other selections. Local singers only will participate.

only will participate.

A Presbyterian missionary rally, a workers' convention, will be held in this city next Tuesday, at which pastors and laymen from a number of neighboring towns will be present. Wallace is satisfied to quit now.

AZUSA, Dec. 12.—(Regular Correspondence.) Road graveling is progressing rapidly on the newly-graded highway between this place and Duarte When it is graveled it will give wheel men and teamsters a solid roadbed from Los Angeles to Pomona, via Asusa, taking in a route immediately paralleling the foothills for the entire distance. The road overseers hope to have it finished in four weeks. Fifteen

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

Farmers' Institutes - New Lemon Orchards Planted.
SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 12.—(Reg. ular Correspondence.) Carpinteria peo-ple do not intend to be outdone in the matter of Farmers' Institutes now arranged for next week at both Goleta and Carpinteria. Many of those who have charge of the Carpinteria Institute will also take an active part in the one at Goleta, which opens on Monday next and closes Tuesday even-

ing.
The Carpinteria Institute begins at 2 p.m. Wednesday, with a two-days' pro-

MORE LEMON ORCHARDS.

Carpinteria Valley is to have many new lemon orchards planted this winter and the coming spring, and a number of the older orchards will be enlarged. Col. Heath, O. N. Cadwell and other prominent ranchers of that rich valley were in the city yesterday and made these statements to a Times reporter. They say that much development work is being done in all lines of agriculture, but that the lemon industry takes the lead this season, and thousands of trees will be planted, not by amateurs, but by farmers who have watched the business with a critical eye, and have decided that it is the best thing they can do. They will back their plantations with more applied brains thap were available when the first orchards wer planted, and consequently will make fewer mistakes. There are as profitable lemon orchards in the Carpinteria Valley as can be found anywhere, and while the new ones may not excell all others, their success is assured from the start, and they can be figured on as valuable additions to the local industry.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITTES. Carpinteria Valley is to have many SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

Prof. J. S. Curryer arrived in town day on his wheel from the other side of the mountain. He is a member of he County Board of Education, and is user to assist in the teachers' examination next week.

Whitelaw Reld, editor of the New tork Tribune, Theodore B. Starr, a frominent jeweler of New York, and frederick Sturges of New York are n Phoenix, Ariz., and it is reported hat they will arrive in Santa Barara in about six weeks.

A. N. Millspaugh of asphalt fame is in from Los Angeles on a business un. f the mountain. He is a member of

un. Samuel S. Green, manager of the San 'rancisco Hotel Gazette, is in the city,

Francisco Hotel Gazette, is in the city, i guest of the Arlington.

Count Santa Barbara, No. 1667, of he Independent Order of Foresters has elected officers as follows: C. t., N. W. Williams; V.C.R. F. A. Blake; R.S., C. M. Gidney; F.S., L. F. Ruiz; treasurer, T. M. George; haplain, J. A. Mathis; S.W., V. .. ousley; J.W., G. F. Kaiser; S. B. J. W. Bates; J.B., E. E. Arellanes; C.D.H.C.R., E. E. Packard.

Channel City Lodge, No. 232, I.O. J.F., has elected the following officers: N.G., C. M. Gidney; V.G., T. P. A. Williams; secretary, W. H. Stafford; treasurer, J. L. Hurlbut.

Very Rev. Killan Schloesser, O.S.F., Commissary Prov. the new head

Commissary Prov. the new head of the Franciscan Order of the Pacific Coast, is now at Santa Barbara Mission. The former comissary Father Clementine, died at Phoenix. Ariz., and his remains lie in one of the mission vaults in this city. Fathe Kilian resides at Fruitvale, Alar

Harry Miller, the mail-robber, had Harry Miller, the mail-robber, had nis examination today before Judge Day, and was held to appear in the sum of \$1000. His trial is set for rhursday next, in Los Angeles before the United States grand jury. Postal Commissioner Flint and Deputy United States Marshal Covarrubias were present at the examination today.

GLENDORA, Dec. 11.—(Regular Correspondence.) The church fair which began today promises to be a great This afternoon one alone had sold \$15 worth of goods. of needlework made by the ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who are running the fair. Tonight the hall was filled with a lively crowd of people buying Christmas presents and enjoying the turkey supper served in the ante-rooms. A spelling contest between five pupils from each of the grammar schools, ninth year, at Azusa, Covina, and Glendora, was of exciting interest to the audience. If resulted in a victory for Azusa, the first prize, a lady's riding-whip, being won by Margaret Herskovits. The fair will close tomorrow evening with an oyster supper and a musical and literary proper per and a gramme.
The Azusa-Covina-Glendora Lemon the Azusa-Covina-Glendora Lemon the first sent East two

The Azusa-Covina-Glendora Lemon Association has just sent East two carloads of lemons. The manager claims that they are not losing money on lemons even at this unseasonable times of the year.

The Glendora Citrus Association has shipped six carloads of ripe oranges, this place having the honor of growin the earliest oranges in the State. The packinghouse will close down in a day or two till after the holidays.

The Epworth League last Wednesday evening elected C. E. Needham president, and Edward Wamsley secretary for the ensuing year.

Rev. Joseph Trostle is enjoying a visit this week from his brother, J. W. Trostle of Illinois.

Capt. W. H. Eckles's grandson, Mr. Dixson of Minnesota, will spend the winter at Glendora.

C. H. Elliott has accepted a position with the American Fruit-growers' Union and will have his headquarters at Los Angeles.

LOS ALAMITOS.

LOS ALAMITOS. Dec. 11.—(Regular Correspondence.) Work on the sugar factory is progressing rapidly. J. J. Kelley of Pittsburgh, Pa., is overseeing the putting in of the steel work. Several carloads of machinery are on the ground, and more is arriving every day. Thirty men are now at work on the factory, which will be ready for the brick work in about two weeks. Judge Marks of Santa Ana, who is the assistant secretary of the company, says that all the land on the great Alamitos ranch is rented. There are \$900 acres in all. Beets are to be planted on \$600 acres of this tract, and \$500 acres will be devoted to corn and barley. The parcels of land average forty acres to each farmer.

New buildings are going up everywhere. Four weeks ago there was not a new house to be seen on the plain, and now there is a score or more of them. There is also guite a colony of tents. Three-fifths of the people here are from Chino. The one store in the place is conducted by two enterprising young men from Tustin, and is a combination of barber-shop, billiard hall, tobacco stand, stationer's, branch bakery, men's furnishing store, news depot and laundry office.

ORANGE COUNTY.

DGE TOWNER DECIDES THE

A Decision for the Defendant-Dr Lord Has a Runaway-Poultry Lord Has a Runaway-Poultry-raisers Organize-The U.P.'s Pass Resolutions-News Notes.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 12.-(Regular Correspondence.) Superior Judge Tow-ner rendered a decision today in the noted case of the Tustin Fruit Asso-ciation vs. the Earl Fruit Company, in which the former brought suit against the latter for an amount alleged to be balance due on thirty-two carloads of oranges which the latter handled for the former on commission during the

season of 1894-5.

The case has been in court for some time and there has been a great deal of interest manifested in it. Evidence was taken in the case about a week ago, at which time the matter taken under advisement by Towner. The decision was rem today and as above stated was fo the defendant. From the evidence the court held that the relation between the parties to the suit was as vendor and vendee rather than that as principal and agent, and that the intention was that the fruit should be delivered f.o.b. at Tustin. This had been carried out and the defendant had paid the prices that had been agreed upon every Saturday night.

GOING TOO FAST. Dr. Roland Lord of this city had Dr. Roland Lord of this city had a runaway at noon today that stirred things up for a short time. The doctor's horse was speeding down Birch street when he suddenly took it into his head to run away. No sooner possessed of the thought than the animal proceeded to put it into effect, and away he speed down the street at a terrific pace, too much, in fact, for the corner of the street which he was rapidly nearing. Without apparently checking his speed in the least the horse rounded the corner, the buggy at the same time starting on a series of revolutions that were dizzying to behold. The horse shortly emerged from the wreck and cantered off down the street toward Waffle & West's livery barn, where he was stopped, and placed in a stall. The doctor was rolled in the dust with the buggy, and he came out of the tumble a little disfigured but still in the ring. The buggy was reduced to kindling wood but fortunately the horse was not injured. a runaway at noon today that stirred

AT THE U. P. CHURCH. An informal meeting was held at the United Presbyterian Church in Santa Ana Saturday afternoon, when the following resolutions were passed by the unanimous vote of the congregation: "Whereas, members and friends being assembled to consult about the best interests of the congregation and the work that we have to do for the Master in this portion of His vineyard, and, whereas, we have reason to be thankful and from God for blessings received as a congregation and as individuals. United Presbyterian Church in Santa

"Resolved, that we wish at this time to express our strong apreciation for and full confidence in our pastor, Rev. M. M. Kilpatrick, our appreciation of his labors as pastor since coming among us and our earnest desire that the happy relations existing between us as pastor and people should not be severed.

"Resolved, that we renew our pledge as much of a support to him in to as much of a support to him in the work of the congregation as God in His wisdom sees fit to permit." POULTRY FANCIERS ORGANIZE

A number of residents met in the City Hall today and effected a tem-City Hall, today and effected a tem-porary poultry association. The meet-ing was presided over by M. J. Bundy and R. O. Shiveley acted as secretary. A Committee on Bylaws and Organi-zation was appointed as follows: D. B. Newell, R. O. Shiveley, Mrs. Flora McFadden, Mrs. Robert Dunn, M. J. Bundy.

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The object of the association will be to promote the best interests in poultry-breeding and to increase the profit of poultry-raising. Another meeting will be held December 16, at which time it is expected that a permanent organization of the association will be effected.

NATURAL DUCK PRESERVE. and north of Fairview a short distance is the duck preserve of the Santa Ana Gun Club. There are over two hundred acres in the preserve, and through the center of it is a slough, in places several hundred feet wide, in which is a thick growth of tules, with occasional lagoons from a dozen feet square to the size of several good building lots. These lagoons are ideal places for ducks to seek refuge in inclementh weather, and during wind or rainstorms they can be approached to within easy range of a good shotgun before they will take to the wing. The tules also furnish good hiding for the hunter, and thereby he is enabled to get closer to his game than if he and north of Fairview a short dis to get closer to his game than if he had no means to hide himself from

On the preserve is a large, commo-dious clubhouse, which has been ele-gantly fitted for the exclusive use of the members of the club and their friends. Arrangements have also been made for the comfortable stabling of horses, and the lawn in the yard has been cleaned and arranged for the comfort of picnickers to enjoy their unch in the open air on the green. lunch in the open air on the green.

There are over twenty members of
the club, all of whom are business men
in this city, and they have spared
neither time nor means in making the
preserve the ideal of the sportsman's

ORANGE COUNTY RREVITIES Prof. Irving Stringham, at the head of the mathematics department in the State University at Berkeley, was in Santa Ana Friday. He examined all the classes in the High School in mathematics, at the conclusion of which he expressed himself as well sat-isfied with the work that was being

The residents of the locality of Placentia are arranging to give a Christmas cantata in that neighborhood in the near future. The entertainment will be under the management of Miss Sadie Crowther.

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It is reported that Frank Monaghan of Santa Ana and his partner in business at Needles, Mr. Murphy, will soon erect a smelter near Needles, to cost in the neighborhood of \$100,000.

A number of celey-growers in the peatlands south of Westminster have organized a Celery Growers Association. John Lawson has been elected president of the association.

The little Dramatic Club at Olive has been reorganized. G. F. Jesson is the new president, Lee Cormack is vice-president, and W. T. Bush is secretary and treasurer.

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A hunting party consisting of Messrs, George Edgar, Dr. W. M. Garnet, D. T. Brock, E. E. Parker, J. W. Ballard and C. E. Parker are at San Juan in search of quali.

Francis B., the little racer who made a record in Santa Ana at the last meeting of the Fair Association of 2:19,

has been sold to W. L. Fischer of Ful-

A petition for letters of administra-tion has been filed with the County Clerk in the estate of Trinidad Aguilar,

J. W. Shirley of Santa Ana and a friend at Orange left a few days ago for the mines at Randsburg. One shipping firm in Orange has

Rev. E. R. Watson of Santa Ana will occupy a pulpit in Redlands Sunday.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

THAT UNLUCKY DAM DEVELOP MORE DEFECTS.

Great Prospects Opening Before the English Cruiser Satellite on Her Way to England.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 12 .- (Regular Correspondence.) The official report of City Engineer Capps that the Morena Dam, a part of the proposed \$1,500,000 city water system, is defective, is supplemented by still further publish statements which point to even greater defects than those reported by Capps. This latest report says: "The dam seems to have been located on top of a big crack; the biggest and deepest fissure in the earth to be found in these parts. Babcock has dug down to try to get to the bottom of it, but after going down one hunrded and ten to one hundred and twenty feet below the surface, he gave it up, and hur-riedly filled up the hole he had dug with alleged and twenty feet below with alleged concrete. He did not even take the trouble to clean off the side walls of the gorge, nor to cut a groove of any sort into the sides for anchorage, nor to dig out the rotten seams in the bedrock, but rushed in his concrete in a hurry before some one should come and see the crookedness he was doing. That one hundred and ten to one hundred and twenty feet height of concrete wall was crammed in inside of three weeks—eighteen days is the record—which, it is needless to remark, beats all previous records in dam-building. Who ever heard of a dam 10 feet high built in eighteen days before? When the 150-foot dam is built on top of this lower 110 feet the total height will far exceed the highest dam in the world." with alleged concrete. He did not

PICACHO MINES

C. L. Josslyn has just returned from C. L. Josslyn has just returned from the Picacho mines, and he is more than ever impressed with the prospect of the Picacho district soon becoming a big camp. Ex-Senator Dorsey, who, with David Moffatt of Denver and A. J. O'Conor, C. B. Richards, C. L. Josslyn, George H. Hill and others of this city, are interested deeply in these mines, is en route for England to enlist more capital in the enterprise. Dorsey will return in January. Mechanical facilities for treating the ore will be secured in the near future. Although the ore is of low grade it exists in such large quantities as to promise large and constant returns of bullion.

John Bull's cruiser Satellite sailed into port yesterday, commanded by Capt. A. C. Allen, the brother of Viceconsul Maj. W. T. Allen of this city. The vessel is en route from Esquimait to England, and sails on Tuesday for Acapulco. When the vessel arrives in

England she will go out of commis-sion. She is a third-class cruiser of 1420 tons, carrying 175 officers and men. SAN DIEGO BREVITIES Receiver W. W. Stewart, of the Golden Cross Company at Hedges, reports that no one was seriously injured during the recent cave-in. No bones were

Warren C. Kimball has mortgaged o Flora M. Kimball, all of his property

Barkentine Catherine Sudden has arrived with lumber for the Russ Com-Work on the wharf for the gun bat

teries at Ballast Point began today. Mrs. Annie E. Walker is granted a divorce from T. H. Walker.

REDLANDS.

Work on the Cannery to Be Berns REDLANDS, Dec. 12.—(Regular Corwork of erecting the long-mooted cannery will be begun. The citizens sub-scribed \$2000 to secure this institution, and about \$30,000 will be invested.

Mr. Hight, who is at the head of the enterprise, has by no means idle in the past months, but has diligently at work with experiments, especially on marmalades. Though an especially on marmalades. Though an experienced man in the work, he has counted on utilizing cull oranges, and there is a big field for experimental work in that line. The factory will be in full equipment for the opening of the next deciduous fruit season, and it is expected that some fancy goods will be turned out, giving employment to a large number of people. MEXICAN THIEF.

Constables Futerell and Diaz have unearthed a quantity of goods in the house of a Mexican named Ferasas, at Beaumont, which are said to have been stolen here and in San Bernardino. Ferasas had left with a trunk full of goods and was not apprehended.

A Mexican was arrestel in San Bernardino Friday evening for attempting to sell at lot of jewelry at a secondnot only been active in committing depredations, but that he has acted as a "fence" for other operators. REDLANDS BREVITIES

New York papers have been received New York papers have been received here chronicling the death in that city on November 30 of C. W. Schmidt, who occupied the house of W. J. Hatton here for over a year. He suffered from lung trouble, and was taken home by his wife a few weeks ago that he might pass his last days with parents. Conductor Willetts, for two years on the Redlands local of the Southern racific system, has been promoted to the overland run.

In its matchless magnificence. East-bound every Sunday and Wednesday. Low rates, no extra charge. Quickest time across the con-tinent. For particulars any agent Southern Pacific Company, or general office, No. 229 South Spring street.

BOOTH & BOYLSON, cut-rate undertakers, 56 South Main street; funerals at one-third former cost; hearses free of charge.

SIERRA MADRE.

SIERRA MADRE, Dec. 12.—(Regular Correspondence.) The Woman's Guild of the Episcopal Church has just closed a very successful bazear. The Athletic Association which was

formed here last Saturday, is getting down to business. It is expected that a few races will be arranged for Christ-

mas.
Tomorrow (Sunday) the tenth anniversary of the Congregational Church will be celebrated. Several ministers from adjacent towns will be

Tortoise heil Sarifice. Genuine tortoise-shell bair ornaments at 25c, 5cc, 75c, worth from 31 to 34; beautiful tortoise back-combs, worth elsewhere 38 and 48, we sell for 33 and 44. These are monay-saving bargains. Come and see for yourselves before buying elsewhere. Real amber phis, 25c; amber necklaces, 25c. Manieure sets for a song. Imperial Hair Bazaar, Nos. 224-225 West Second street.

WATCHES cleaned, 75c; main-spring, 50c crystals, 10c. Patton, No. 214 South Broadway

CONSUMPTION CURED.

Human Life Being Saved at the Koch Medical Institute.

'Improved Tuberculin' the Remedy-Cure Consumption by Destroying the Bacilli.

Dr. Chas. H. Whitman, the founder of this Life Saving Station, who has been a resident and "regular" practicing physician of this city for the last three years. was one of the first physicians in the United States to use Koch's Tuberculin, and, although that remedy failed to give satisfactory results, and was almost entirely abandoned by the few physicians who tried it, there were some honest investigators who were not willing to discard so scientific a preparation without further trial. Among the latter was Dr. Whitman, who has carried on a line of systematic and scientific investigation for years, until about one year ago he became convinced that he had succeeded in perfecting a remedy which would not only CURE consulaption in the earlier stages by destroying the bacilli (the cause,) but by the use of which (administered hypodermically) he can actually diagnose the disease before the bacilli can be detected in the sputa, thus enabling him to treat and Cure incipient phthisis before tubercules have formed in the lungs. No greater discovery has been given to the public in the last decade than this wonderful cure for consumption, because it will be the means of saving to the world hundreds of lives of human beings who could not be saved by any other method. It is fair to judge of the merits of a remedy by its results, and a careful inspection of the results of "Improved Tuberculin," as prepared and used by Dr. Whitman, will show all that has been claimed for it.

Let each tnd every consumptive take warning, Death is an unwelcome, but certain visitor. You can postpone his visit it von will. As there are many people in this city afflicted with consumption, who are in straitened circumstances, the doctor has concluded to set apart one hour each day from 9 to 10 a.m. for the treatment of regular fee, and will only charge the actual cost of the medicine used. Printed literature containing testimonials of patients who have been cured at this institute will be furnished upon application. Satisfactory arrangements made with physicians at a distance to treat patients, Consultation free. The Koch Medical Institute, No. 529 South Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal. Office hours 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tel. 929 Main.

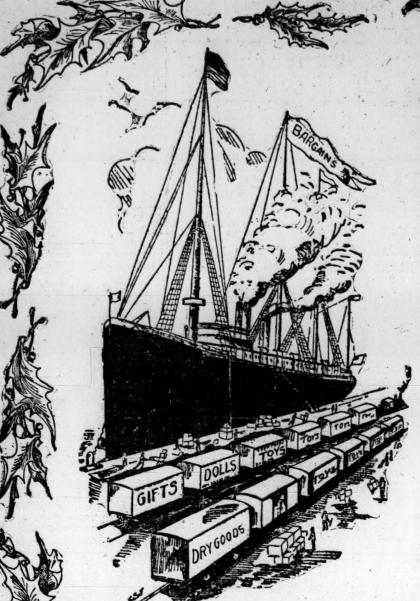
ANDERSON'S Kalmosal

Warranted Cure for Headache, Coid and La Grippe. SALE & SON, 230 S. Spring St.

LEGAL.

Proposals

3-Groceries.
4-Butter, eggs, choese, yeast.
5-Flour, meal, barley, bran, middlings,
6-Beans, potatoes, eggetables, etc.
7-Beef, mutatoes, eggetables, etc.
8-Lard, barn, bacon, etc.
9-Lord, edg., barn, bacon, etc.
10-Cloth, blankets, etc.
11-Cloth, blankets, etc.
12-Crockery and glassware.



Old Santa Claus' ship is

Laden with the greatest and grandest stock of Holiday Goods ever displayed west of Chicago. From every corner of the earth we have brought forth something. By sea and land the goods have come. Sixty concentrated stores of Christmas Goods under one roof. Near to three hundred well-trained people to assist yourra bower of beauty by day and a blaze of light by night. No wonder the children shout. No wonder the people come from miles around. A Holiday halo illumines the store,

Black and Colored Dress Goods and Silks.

With the greatest, largest and best appointed store in the town why shouldn't we show better fabrics for less money than others? We do. Everybody says we do, and the crowds that buy here go to prove it.

At 50c the yard.

52-inch Black Storm Serges, 40-inch Black Novelty Bourettes, 44-inch Black Brocaded Sicilians and 44-inch Silk-finish Black Henrietta and Surah Serges; any of these would be excellent value any time at 75c the yard.

At 63c the yard.

45-inch Black Jacquard Figured Serges, 54-inch Black Real Mohair Wide Wale Serge and 46-inch Black Brocaded Silk Finished Luster, any of which would be great value at 85c the yard.

At \$1.00 the yard.

44-inch Black Crepon, 54-inch Black Bourette Stripes and 46-inch Lizard Figured Mohairs; all of these are genuine \$1.25 and \$1.35 fabrics, and this reduction is for Monday only.

At 50c the yard.

40-inch Two-Toned Check Cheviots, 44-inch Illuminated Granite Suiting, 52-inch Navy Blue Storm Serge, and 40-inch Two-Toned Crepon Bourettes. We do not think any yard in this entire lot can be matched in other stores for 75c.

At 75c the yard.

48-inch All Wool Cheviots with bouretted stripes, 40-inch Two-Toned Crepon Novelties, and 44-inch Canvas weaves in two-toned effects. These are pickings from the lines we generally sell for \$1.00 the yard.

At \$1.00 the yard.

Novelties in Etamine Canyas weaves, 50-inch Kil-mamock Tweeds, and 44-inch Two-Toned Bou-rettes with large raised figures. These are very special \$1.25 and \$1.85 fabrics, and are on sale only Monday as \$1.00.

At 50c the Yard.

Chameleon Brocade Silks, in Dresden and floral designs, all shades in plain taffeta silk, any yard among them is worth 75c; make a special note of these at 50c.

At 69c the Yard.

Best quality changeable Silks, in all the rich combination colors; also extra heavy grade black bro-caded satin and gros grain silks in large rich scroll patterns; very exceptional \$1 the yard worths.

At 85c the Yard.

Over 100 different styles and colors in silk, Monotone Warp Printed Taffeta in chameleon and rainbow effects; also 24-inch heavy black satin Duchesse with soft cashmere finish; both regular \$1.25

Holiday Capes.

Owing to our limited advertising space we are compelled to leave out descrip-tions of our very special garments at \$7.50, \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$20.00. Ladies' Capes, made of black broadcloth and trimmed with bands of \$5.00 inll sweep and \$1n. length, \$5.00 regular \$7.0 cape; Monday

Holiday Jackets.

Ladies' Jackets made of rough finished cheviots, box front and lates states co. collar inlaid with velvet a very nobby 7.59 garment; Monday for. Children's Jackets made of tan mixtures, broad sailor collar, full ripple back and box front

Holiday Suits.

Holiday Furs.

Ladies' Black Astrakhan Collarettes, full ripple and high collar, silk lined and purchased to sell \$5.00 for \$5.00 Monday offered

Holiday Millinery.

A great special sale of Fine Trimmed Hats until January 1, 1807. \$25 Imported Pattern Hats for......... \$15 Elegant Pattern Hats for........ \$10 Elegant Pattern Hats for..... Ladies' fur felt Sailors, trimmed with 4 bands of velvet and velvet binding, all colors, worth \$1.23, for.

Holiday Neckwear.

Ladies' square yoke Collarettes in satin ribbon and insertion, with flounce of lace;

Holiday Handkerchiefs.

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10c Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs
12½c Lawn Embroidered Handkerchiefs
15c Lawn Handkerchiefs, open work borders.
10c Fine Lawn and Swiss Embroidered
Handkerchiefs
12½c
25c Fine Lawn and Swiss Embroidered
Handkerchiefs
15c Extra Fine Linen Embroidered
Handkerchiefs
15c Sizs Extra Fine Linen Embroidered
Handkerchiefs
15c Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs
12½c

Holiday Slippers.

Several very important shoe reductions crowded out of today's advertisement for lack of space will be on sale Monday. MEN'S SLIPPERS, genuine pebble goat in tan and black, very worthy \$1.33 grade; Monday for men and black, very worthy \$1.35 grade; Monday for men bongola kid with patent leather trimmings, very delicate trimmings, very delicate \$1.50 kirable \$1.75 kinds; Monday. MEN'S SLIPPERS, made of felt with hand turned soles. worth \$2; for \$1.75

MEN'S SLIPPERS, real seal, in pointed and common sense toes, chamols skin lined, worth \$2.50; \$2.00 MISSES SLIPPERS, made of felt with hand turned soles, in red and black and worth \$1.75; today...

LADIES' SLIPPERS, made of felt, with hand turned soles and fur trimming, red \$1.50 and black; Monday for.....

Our Corsets.

Are fitted by an expert corset fitter; a fitting room has been provided and no one now need wear an ill-fitting corset; we will replace any corset we fit with a new one if the one we sell you proves unsatisfactory; none but the best makes are to be found in our stocks; no extra charge for fitting.

Holiday Umbrellas.

Ladles' 26-inch Gloria Silk Umbrellas, with steel rods and paragon frames, the handles are particularly pretty, Dresden balls and crooks, a \$1.75 quality:

Holiday Underwear.

Misses' Union Suits, made of Australian white wool, finished with hand crocheting; A \$1.25 value at..... Ladies' Union Suits, made of the best Maco yarn and heavily fleeced, well fluished with slik and shaped, a \$1.25 value; Holi. Flannelette Gowns, made of heavy soft flannelette, in assorted colors, trimmed with embroidery, very landsome and extra full width and sleeves, a superb \$1.50 garment; Holiday price.... Ladies' all-wool Union Suits, the celebrated Lewis makes, in natural gray. white and \$3.50 with silk; our 85 grade at.

Holiday Underskirts.

Knitted Skirts in all colors, with fancy colored borders, a good 85c article; Holiday price... Fast Black Sateen Skirts, made full and lined throughout with flaunciette, one flounce, and good 25c value; Holiday price

Holiday Jewelry.

SOLID gold, warranted, rings for children, stone setting: Monday for 95c LADIES' plain, solid gold, war-ranted, rings; Monday for only.. \$1.50 LADIES' chased gold rings \$1.50 MISSES' gold rings, with stone \$1.25 setting: Monday for only LADIES' fancy hat pins, with stone settings: Monday for.........350 STICK pins, with stone setting...... 25c STICK pins, with Opal and Brilliant settings; Monday for...........500 Silk Watch Guards.....

Holiday Feather Goods, Black and black and white coque feather Collarettes of soft. rich, changeable feathers, at

Coque feather Boas of rich curled black and green changeable feathers, 48 inches long and only \$1.50 Real black Ostrich Collar-ettes. 18 inches long with full centers, elegant qual-ity, curly effect, for \$5.00

Holiday Gloves,

No stock is so complete as this; every new novelty of the season; as a matter of convenience to our patrons we sell glove certificates, which will be honored at any time for their face value; with every purchase of 3 pairs of gloves we present a handsome glove box.

PERRIN'S GLOVES, "La Mure" grade,

made with 4 large pearl buttons, two-toned fancy embroidery, they come in every shade, every pair fit- ted and warranted; Monday

Holiday Ribbons. CHANGEABLE TAPETTA RIBBONS, 200 pieces in the latest colorings, 3% and 4 inches broad, richest color effects, wortha c yard, on sale in midden, after a wood and a sale in midden, after a wood and a sale in midden, and a wood a sale in midden, and a wood a work of the sale in midden, and wood a work of the sale in midden, and wood a work of the sale in midden, and wood a work of the sale in midden, and work of the sale in t

Holiday Art Goods.

Boys' Holiday Clothes.

Boys' Dark Cheviot Cape Overcoats, sizes 3 to 10 years; Monday at only	\$1.45
Boys' Navy Blue Twilled Cheviot Reefer Suits with large coliars heavily braided; Monday for	\$2.49
Boys' All-wool Honeycomb Cheviot, Double-Breasted seat and knees, riveted button; and made to sell for 4; sizes 7 to 15 years; on sale Monday at	Brown Mixed Suite, double
Boys' Vestee Zonave Suits with silk velvet corduroy fronts, very nobby and worth \$6.50; Monday	\$5.00

Holiday Hosiery.

Holiday Leather Goods.

Extra Nice Black Leather Bags, with heavy farmer satin lining, worth \$1.75; \$1.25 Monday for Black Seal Chatelaine, with leather straps, extra lined and well made, worth \$1.25; Monday for Straps of Straps o

Bicycle Purses, in black, tan and olive, very swell and worth \$1.25; Monday for...

Ladies' Combination Purse and Card Case, in seal and fancy leather
Handsome Combination Purse and Card Case, in black and brown, with sterling sliver mountings

Men's Holiday Goods.

Men's Handkerchiefs, lawn with hemstitched border and initial, bought to sell for 25c; Monday 3 for......

Men's Full Dress White Shirts, celebrated "Monarch" make; for_____

Holiday Linens.

Monday for Chow white Damask Table Covers. 244 yards long, in spray and polka dot designs, the siller fringe. Worth £2,50; \$1.95

35c

Holiday Draperies.

Head Rests, a complete assortment, saddle bag double rests, silk covered, size \$\text{siz}\$ exi2 inches, silk cord and tassels, \$\text{81.28}\$ sort;
For only

Cushions, size 18x18. down filled and silk covered, ruffled in latest style, worth \$2.25; For only...... Derby Table Covers, 1% yards square, worth \$3 50; Monday

Holiday Rugs. Carriage Robes in every ne w and appropriate grade and kind, broadcloth robe with silk embroidered center, \$2.00 worth \$3.00; For..... Smyrna Rugs, size 30x60 inches, choice patterns and fringed at both ends, reversible and worth \$3, for

Fur Rugs, goat, sheep, bear and fox, one special line of fancy bear rugs, size 30x60 in., worth \$4.00; On special sale Monday.

Holiday Flannels. Majeska Wrapper Flannels. in a large assortment of new novelty patterns, extra heavy and worth 12½c the yard; Monday.....

Holiday Fans.

Colored slik gauze Fans, in hand painted designs and colored sticks, blue.

50° maize, cream and white;
Special holiday price White feather Fans in cream and white, rich spangled tiusel effects; Special holiday price... \$1.00

Holiday Toilet Articles.

Special Holiday Bargains in our Glassware, Chinaware and Silverware Department.



China Mush and Milk Sets, sim-ilar to illustrations, flowered and 25c gold edge, 3 pieces; set ________ Finer ones 45c, 65c, 75c and 90c set.

\$3.50

\$3.75



Nut Sets, Cracker and picks in box, \$1.25 Nut Set, 2 crackers and 12 picks in

\$2.20 Finger Bowls.

Imported Stein Ware,





Tinted and decord ted scallop bord china Cuspidors, 60c Ansonia Tourist Clocks, very cute and small 2 in. dial, with alarm, \$1.50 Same, without alarm, \$1.25



Decorated China Candlesticks, gold edge, with snuffer, 35c able to deco- 15c



Plate Sets, flowered and gold stippled edge

